

Ottawa Acts in Second Attempt To Deport French Collaborator

FOUR STAR FINAL

Products Of Fats, Oils Cheaper As Controls Removed

OTTAWA (CP)—Possibility of lower prices for products of which fats and oils are components was seen today in removal of export and import controls on animal, vegetable and marine oils and fats.

Some of these products are lard, shortening, peanut butter and soap.

A source in close touch with the market for fats and oils said although Canadian prices for oils and fats bought in the United States followed U.S. prices closely, some importers, under the system of allocations in effect, had to buy more expensive oils.

Donald Perreault Taken To Montreal For Tremblay Trial

MONTREAL (CP)—Donald Perreault, charged with murder in the double slaying of two Montreal policemen, was brought here from Quebec today.

He will appear at the trial of Robert Tremblay, who is charged with being an accomplice in the slaying of the policemen and the hold-up of an east end bank where the slaying took place last September.

CRANBROOK (CP)—Michael Kulcar, 47, was killed in an accident in the Michel Colliery of the Crown's Nest Pass Coal Company, crushed under a rock fall. It was the first fatality at the colliery in three years.



'So Darn Plucky'

Michael Reitor, 4, who was burned over 70 per cent of his body when playmates set his clothing afire, thanks his new friend and skin donor, Robert J. Denyer, 23, a naval aviation machinist's mate, Denyer took a week's leave from duties to enter Casualty Hospital in Washington, D.C., to donate skin to the boy, because, he said, "that kid is so darn plucky." Though 30 per cent burns are usually fatal, doctors say Michael has a better than even chance of living. (NEA Photograph)

Weather Forecast

Intermittent light rain today and overnight; southeast winds, 15 m.p.h. Tuesday: Cloudy, with occasional showers in afternoon; little change in temperature. Low tonight, 35; high Tuesday, 42.

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Today's Sports

Hamill Fined \$250, Suspended One Game

MONTREAL (CP)—National Hockey League headquarters announced today that Red Hamill of Chicago Black Hawks has been fined \$250 and suspended for one game for his Sunday night attack on Vic Lynn of Toronto Maple Leafs.

"We have just heard from Mr. Campbell (President Clarence Campbell of the N.H.L.)," a spokesman at league headquarters said. "His information is that Hamill has been fined \$250 and has been suspended for one game."

"That game will be next Feb. 26 when Chicago Black Hawks play Toronto Maple Leafs in Toronto."

The spokesman said Mr. Campbell, a spectator at the game talked to the players concerned afterwards and that Hamill had been given a chance to present his side of the case.

Hamill, who was banished from Sunday night's game after the incident which cost his team a 10-minute penalty, said in Chicago:

"I just can't imagine what came over me when I got that crack on back of the head. I'm very sorry it happened and am glad that Vic wasn't seriously hurt."

"This is my 10th season in the National Hockey League, and in all that time I have never tried to injure anyone intentionally. It is strange that this should happen to me, especially this year when I've only had six minutes in penalties."

Suspended Sentence For Publicity Director

EDMONTON (CP)—L. P. Danis of Edmonton, former Alberta government director of publicity, was given a two-year suspended sentence when he pleaded guilty in Supreme Court here today to a breach of trust charge.

The prosecution applied for a stay of proceedings on two other charges.

Mr. Danis was accused of demanding a commission of \$1500 from the Harold Stansfield Ltd., a national advertising company, in connection with government accounts with the company.

Czech Hockey Star 'Missing' In Sweden As Team Goes Home

STOCKHOLM (Reuter)—Stenek Marek, 23-year-old member of the Czechoslovakian hockey team which won the world championship Sunday, disappeared Sunday night while his teammates attended a banquet in their honor.

But as soon as the Czech team boarded a train to return home, Marek reappeared at his hotel room. He would make no statement to newspapermen. His Swedish visa was set to expire at midnight tonight.

Marek was of have started two years' military service on his return to Czechoslovakia. His disappearance was discovered by team captain, Antonin Vodicka who reported it to the Czech legation.

Stockholm evening newspapers reported that Marek, an engineer, was in hiding with his "rich American fiancée, who came to Sweden to arrange for both to go to the United States." Marek who speaks English fluently, served in the R.A.F. during the war.

Overnight Entries Santa Anita

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs: Manna Fubus 118A, Navy Chief 118, Prince Abby 118, Sly One 118, Breeze Lad 118, Long Lad 118, Dolphin 118, Shower Boy 118, Ringing Sword 118, Round Switch 118, Overrun 118, Weather Week 118, High Regard 118, Complicated 118, Dist. Attorney 118, No Caste 118.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs: Baby Sage 118, Robert 118, a-Motop 118, Son To Boss 118, a-George 118, Fair Singer 118, Prince Cay 118, Dark Angel 118, Musketer 118, Abasco 118, Red Hawk 118, Good Crack 118, Newport Gypsy 118A-Special, 120, Short Rapids 118, a-Entry, Speedy Trip 118.

THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs: Gavlicka Pass 118, Sparky Cannon 118, On The Pubs 118, Brenton Light 118, a-Motop 118, Super Bomber 118, Breeze Lad 118, Vain Doctor 118, Old Dad 118, Ringing Ginger 118, Gold Boom 118, Chico Gale 118, War Map 118, a-Humpy Hump 118, Harbor Supply 118, a-Entry, Speedy Trip 118.

FOURTH RACE—One mile: Ida's Pet 118, May Deliver 118, On The Hour 118, Roman Pennant 118, En Buca 108, The Shaker 118, Whirlwind Chant 118, Miss Nina 104, Mr. Lee 118, Jeanie 112, King Court 118.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs: Stirrup Cup 118, Miss Crown 118, Jackstraw 118, Red Stamp 118, Rinklater 118, The Shaker 118, Sea Spray 118.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs: Ralph Jane 112, Sweet Arline 112, Dark Belito 109, Alibi Kate 112, Thelma 114, Zenda 109, Proud Rider 120, Baby Shower 114, Niatly 109, Grand Mere 111, Gold Jacket 109, a-Entry.

SEVENTH RACE—Seven furlongs: See Me First 118, b-June Bride 112, Some Guy 118, Brenton Light 118, a-Pet Midget 118, Royal Consort 118, Miss Dora 118, Shante Coal 112, b-End of Time 118, Fund Embrace 118, Gaffery 118, a-Entry, Flower Bed 118, b-Entry, a-Delta Queen 118.

EIGHTH RACE—One mile and a sixteenth: Gally B 107, Pharaoh 112, Taven 111, Waxhatch 105, Red Tape 113, Timmer Shoot 105, Chief Command 112, Evening Story 112, Reiche Agent 112, Shade Goal 112, Nation Wide 111, Patch Up 112, War Agent 111, Air Belle 107, Herald 118, Ringworth 107.

First post 1 p.m.

Overnight Entries Fair Grounds

FIRST RACE—One mile and a sixteenth: Hyson 118, Chessa May 112, Ashture 107, Cherokee 107, Sir Walter B 112, Cachaia 111, Griny 112, Zekara Boy 112, Oyster Leaf 108, Our Best 121, Nevers 108, Son O' Bessum 110, Frolic Land 112, Sweet Hope 110, Touch of Time 103, Bronzaca 109.

SECOND RACE—One mile and a sixteenth: Sunder 112, Russian Vain 112, Juan 112, Tiger Ace 112, Peace Maker 112, Battle 107, Belcrest 109, Zekara Boy 112, Mini Play 112, Bradwin 112, Dick Manners 112, Rosalie Gypsy 112, Pop's Choice 109, Boyanette Dale 112, Grace Powers 107.

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FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs: Our Pigeon 119, Henry's Pal 119, Gay's Grail 111, Scout Rose 114, Amable Tip 118, Golden Hygro 112, Janie's Pluck 112, Joe's Star 119, Plucky Miss 114, Peirad 109, Hinder Miss 114, Second Gueser 114, Try Gullie 119, Conner Star 114, Rio Limpio 114, Attend 119, Heicle Pet 112, Pavonian 114.

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First post 12 noon.

Curling Tourney

EDMONTON (CP)—Seven rinks will begin a round-robin tourney here tomorrow for the Canadian high school curling championship.

All teams -- representing Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia and the North West Territories -- were scheduled to be in Edmonton tonight.

Rugby Results

LONDON (Reuter)—Results of rugby games today in the United Kingdom:

RUGBY UNION
Blanenavon 3, Cross Keys 5.
Rosslyn Park 3, Bective Rangers 6.

West Indies Wins Test In Ceylon

COLOMBO, Ceylon (Reuter)—The West Indies today won the first cricket test match against Ceylon by an innings and 22 runs.

They dismissed Ceylon for 318 in their second innings, after the home side had followed on with 122 in reply to the West Indies first-innings score of 462 for two declared.

For a time during the day it looked as if Ceylon would stage off the innings defeat. But when Prior Jones, the West Indies speed bowler, took the ball he created havoc among the opposing batsmen, taking all six wickets which fell today at a personal cost of 23 runs.

Exhibition 'Replay' Of Grey Cup Final Possible In Ottawa

OTTAWA (CP)—Possibility of an exhibition "replay" of last year's Grey Cup final was mooted in football circles today.

A. H. Williams, a past president of Calgary Stampede, Dominion champions who defeated Ottawa Rough Riders at Toronto in the grid classic, was in the capital and held conversations on the proposed game as a possible curtain-raiser next season. The game would be played in Ottawa, it was suggested, probably late in August.

"Many Ottawa people would probably be glad to see the Canadian football champions," he said, recalling the clamor last year when thousands of local fans were unable to get tickets for the final.

Williams discussed the matter with E. K. (Eddie) Emerson, president of the Ottawa club. He said he would discuss it further with officers of the Calgary club.

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Mysterious Bomb Blast

H. D. Hover (left), owner of Ciro's, swank Sunset Strip night club, talks with Police Sgt. W. J. Forbes on what is left of the front porch of his Beverly Hills home, rocked by a mysterious bomb-blast. A man, identified by police as William J. Ward, was arrested with a truck load of dynamite near the scene of the blast. (NEA Photograph)

Notes On 'Lost' U.S.A-Bomb Referred To At Spy Trial

MUNICH (AP)—Notes about a "lost" American atom bomb bobbed up today in the espionage trial of five Europeans before a United States court.

The prosecution read alleged espionage reports to an unnamed foreign power. In one of the documents, which the prosecution said were found on one of two Polish defendants, there were the notations:

"One American atom bomb has been lost."

Newly-Born Baby Found In Stove

REGINA (CP)—Police said charges are expected to be laid against a 19-year-old unmarried mother whose newly-born baby boy was picked out of hot coals in a kitchen stove today.

Relatives of the girl said they were awakened by the baby's cries and found it in the firebox of the kitchen range with the lid down. The young mother, a business college student, was lying on a chertier in a nearby room.

The girl and her baby were taken to hospital. The baby, severely burned, was in critical condition but the young mother is expected to recover.

WASHINGTON (AP)—The 56-power International Wheat Conference began its fifth week today with no hopes for adjournment of the end of February.

"American has 600 atom bombs."

There was no explanation of these statements, nor any comment on their truth.

The prosecution charged the 25 documents introduced were taken from a woman's handbag in the possession of Theodore Szendler, a Pole and the first defendant. One of the other defendants also is Polish. The other three are Germans.

Mindszenty Trial Branded By Drew As Cruel Sham

OTTAWA (CP)—George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, said today in the Commons he is sure there is not a "thoughtful person in the world," who believes that the trial of Cardinal Mindszenty of Hungary was anything "but a cruel sham from beginning to end."

Resuming a speech he had started before the Throne-Speech debate was adjourned two weeks ago, Mr. Drew said the Speech had referred to the menace of Communism.

"I am convinced that in all the discussions we are called upon to deal with, there is not a single subject of greater importance than the threat of Communism in the world and right here in Canada," said Mr. Drew.

To Reconstitute Immigration Board Commons Informed

OTTAWA (CP)—The government acted swiftly today in a second attempt to deport Jacques de Bernville, Frenchman accused of wartime collaboration with the Germans.

Resources Minister MacKinnon announced in the Commons he had ordered the reconstitution of the immigration board which decreed the first deportation order, one which was set aside in the Quebec Superior Court today.

Charge Looting At Vancouver Airport Fire

VANCOUVER (CP)—Airport authorities charged today that looters were active during Saturday night's \$150,000 fire at the Vancouver International Airport.

Two were captured—stealing pies and cakes from the airport cafeteria. Both have been charged with theft.

Airport Manager William Templeton complained today that police aid was not made available to guard buildings and equipment.

He said police guards were not supplied until Sunday afternoon following several protests to Vancouver authorities.

Withdrawal Of L.P.P. Support From C.C.F. Welcomed By Labor

OTTAWA (CP)—A. R. Mosher, president of the Canadian Congress of Labor, in a statement today said labor generally welcomes the decision of the Labor Progressive Party to withdraw its support from the C.C.F. in the next federal election.

"Actually, the support of the Communists was a far greater handicap to the C.C.F. than its opposition would have been," the statement said.

Decision to withdraw support from the C.C.F. was announced earlier this month by Tim Buck, national leader of the Labor Progressive Party, at its convention in Toronto. C.C.F. officials said at the time such support was unwelcome.

Mr. Mosher is on his way west to attend Congress institutes at Edmonton, Calgary, Vancouver and Victoria.

Death Toll In Cape Verde Disaster 232

LISBON, Portugal (AP)—A huge wall collapsed Sunday with a terrifying roar and killed 232 persons, many of them women and children, who had assembled for a daily food dole in the centre of Praia, capital of Cape Verde, islands.

Governor Joao de Figueredo announced the number of dead and said many were injured. Forty-seven of the more seriously injured were in hospitals.

A government official, elaborating, said this meant the government is going to repeat its original proceedings. The court found that the original board was improperly constituted because it did not have enough members.

The official, agreeing this was true, said the new or revived board would have enough members—believed to be three—and that it would start sittings shortly.

Asked if De Bernville and his family could be held now that they have been freed, the official said those and other factors would have to be decided when the official judgment is received here and studied. Only press reports were available late today.

Mr. MacKinnon was answering questions from Allister Stewart (C.C.F.—Winnipeg North).

See Page Three for de Bernville story.

Today's Prices On Vancouver Market

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)		Bid	Asked
OILS			
Anascond	11		
Anglo-Canadian	11	440	
A.P. Con	25	37	
Atlantic	77	80	
British Dominion	21	12	
C. and E. Corp.	810	815	
Calumet	45	47	
Central Leduc	117	120	
Commonwealth	42	50	
Dalhousie	46	55	
East Leduc	174	184	
Foothills	280	285	
Pend Oreille	140	145	
Highwood	1175	1200	
Leduc West	75	10	
McDougal Segur	15	18	
Mercury	13	16	
National Petroleum	135	140	
Okanagan	241	245	
Pacific Petroleum	39	10	
Royal Canadian	175	18	
Superior	20	22	
Vanadia	21	22	
Yukon	21	22	
MINES			
Bayonne Cons.	8	908	
Brakemore	880	908	
Bridge River Cons.	10	10	
B.R. (1935)	10	10	
Canessa Carbide	11	13	
Cariboo Gold	140	145	
Congress	315	3	
Corbett Copper	43	10	
Golconda	17	22 1/2	
Grandview	46	50	
Gruhl Wilkox	59	61	
Hedley Masco	46	50	
Highland Bell	115	120	
Island Mountain	115	120	
Pacific Nickel	346	350	
Pend Oreille	140	145	
Pioneer River	240	245	
Primrose	19	13	
Privateer	30	315	
Quatfano Copper	30	315	
Reeves McDonald	10	10	
Reno Gold	6	8	
Sheep Creek	143	145	
Silab Premier	25	28	
Silver Ridge	16	18	
Taylor Bridge	12	13	
Utica	12	13	
Vanada	21	22	
Wellington	21	22	
INDUSTRIALS			
B.C. Forest Products	45	50	
B.C. Turf	45	50	
Canadian Western Lumber	325	330	
Capital States	1050	1060	
Coast Breweries	330	335	
H. R. MacMillan B.	675	70	
Pacific Corle	60	70	
Powell River	4180	4150	
Sun Publishing	1725	1750	
Westwater Paper A	875	900	
Do. B	875	900	
Total sales, 72,818.			

By Frank Godwin

RUSTY RILEY



One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

"BAEDEKER" BACK

CHATTING WITH A FRIEND who not long ago returned from a tour of the British Isles and the continent, casual mention was made of guide books.

And it sent my mind harking back to the days of my youth when "Baedeker" was the familiar hallmark of the tourist, the "open sesame" to the show places and sights of the Old World.

Everywhere we went, whether in Switzerland, Germany, France, Holland or Belgium, we would run across groups, shepherded by a Cook's man or a clericone from some other well-known tourist agency, armed with their fat, pocked-sized Baedekers in the characteristic crimson binding.

MADE IN GERMANY

LIKE A GOOD MANY other accepted things in those days, these famous guide books were made in Germany, by the century-old publishing house of Karl Baedeker in Leipzig.

It was in Coblenz in the 1830's that the original Baedeker started issuing guide books for travelers, the first on the Rhine country and the second on Belgium and Holland.

Baedekers on Germany and Austria followed in 1842, Switzerland in 1844. Paris and environs set a new standard in city guides in 1855. Upon Karl's death in 1859, his son Fritz took the helm, and in 1861 issued the first English translations. In 1872, he transferred the business from Coblenz to Leipzig.

ACCURACY OF DETAIL

THESE TRAVEL AIDS quickly became known for their thoroughness of detail, painstaking documentation, accuracy of detail in their maps and plates. Their paragraphs on the local history were uniformly concise, stated conservatively and entirely free from political bias.

The result was the books soon covered all Europe, parts of the North America and the continent, some running into 28 editions, although, according to the U.S. National Geographic Society, the fourth and last Baedeker Handbook for Travelers to the United States made its appearance as long ago as 1909.

UNIQUE CHARACTER

THE RELIABILITY OF the guide books issued by the German firm made the name of Baedeker unique, even in a field where many publishers produce helpful handbooks.

Perhaps no greater instance of this is to be found than in the fact that during World War Two, when the Nazis in 1942 announced they would raid British historical and cultural centres in reprisal for R.A.F. raids on German military sites, the term "Baedeker raid" was featured in the British newspapers.

Webster's dictionary also gives a place to Baedeker, defining it as a noun meaning "a guidebook of the series established by Karl Baedeker; loosely, any guidebook."

MAY MAKE COMEBACK

BY ONE OF THOSE ironic twists of fate, the term "Baedeker raid" took on a literal meaning when, in one of the series of Allied air raids over Germany, the ancient publishing house of Karl Baedeker in Leipzig was bombed out.

But the fat, crimson-bound guidebooks themselves had been a war casualty long before that. They ceased appearing soon after Hitler went to war, his excursions putting an end to the peaceful peregrinations of tourists in Europe.

At first it looked as if Baedeker was to be a permanent casualty of the war, but word now comes that a great-grandson of the original Baedeker is to try to resume publication of the guide books from Hamburg in the British zone.

So it may be that the Baedeker name will once again assert its authority in the tourist field and be the accepted guide post to the wonders of the world.



C.C.F. SEEK GOVERNMENT CAR INSURANCE—Armed with placards protesting the "pink slip" highway responsibility plan and lauding the Saskatchewan government auto insurance scheme, C.C.F. members of the Legislature and others are seeking signatures to a petition to be presented to the B.C. government asking it to institute a plan similar to Saskatchewan's. In the above picture some of the C.C.F.'ers are shown at work before the motor vehicle license issuing office on Menzies Street. They are, left to right, Harold Thayer, James Quinn, J. H. Corsbie, Herbert Gargrave, William Caird, R. Harding, John McInnis and Arthur Turner.

Qualicum Legion Installs President

QUALICUM BEACH — Qualicum Beach Branch of the Legion, at a meeting here, decided to lend \$2,000 to the Community Club Association on a negotiable mortgage, towards the cost of building an addition to the community hall.

H. Chester Good was installed as president by E. Sanders, in the absence of Ralph Gibson of Cumberland, past zone representative, who was unable to attend owing to snow up-island. Mrs. Good is president of the Legion W.A.

Others installed were: F. H. Parker and E. J. Lockhart, vice-presidents; C. F. Bagnall, sergeant-at-arms, and Rev. G. T. Pattison, J. M. Utteridge and D. E. Dobson, executive council.

Charles Little presented a past president's badge to retiring president Don Beaton. The latter made a presentation to the picture show committee, including the ushers, Miss Norma Dobson and Miss Jerry Heard, through D. E. Waldie, chairman. Advice was received from D.V.A. that merchant seamen, subject to certain conditions, are now eligible for vocational training, with applications to be filed before June 30.

Cougar Dog-Killer Shot At Sooke

SOOKE—A hunt of many hours concluded with the shooting of a cougar believed responsible for attacks on several dogs in the Sooke area and for the deaths of two of them.

Seeing fresh cougar tracks, Edward Banner Sr. of Shirley and his son, Edward Jr., with their cougar dog, trailed the cat. They found the dog mauled but the cougar had escaped. Darkness forced the hunters to give up.

A group comprising Edward Shaw, Marshall Smith, Anthony Sullivan and Leslie Lowe, all of Sooke, set out with Mr. Shaw's dog Sambo for Black Creek, where the cougar trail had led the Banriers.

The hunt lasted until 1.30 in the afternoon when the big cat, a male measuring six and a half feet in length, was shot along Black Creek.

500 School Pupils See Special Films

The first in a series of educational motion pictures from the visual education branch of the Provincial Department of Education was seen by 500 Greater Victoria elementary school students Saturday at the Museum.

Four films were shown on the solar system, earth, erosion and formation of rain.

The pictures were shown by Dr. Clifford Carl, director of the museum.

This week's films will deal with plant life. The weekly series will continue until April 9.

LUXTON HALL MEETINGS

LUXTON — Fruit growing, methods of pruning and various uses of fertilizers, were discussed by A. Hall at a meeting of Metochin Farmers' Institute in Luxton Hall.

LUXTON — A bingo game will be held in Luxton Hall Tuesday night, with the proceeds to be used by the hall committee for repairs and improvements to the building.



N.S.B. CHAIRMAN — Former Governor Mon C. Wallgren of Washington, above, has been named chairman of the National Security Resources Board by President Truman. The board is responsible for keeping tabs on the production and stock-piling of critical materials.

More Tree-Growing Advocated In U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. forest service warned at the week-end that the nation faces a future critical shortage of lumber and other timber products unless vigorous action is taken to grow more trees.

The annual cut of timber and natural losses were said to be 50 per cent greater than the current annual growth.

The service said the nation should set long-range timber production goal of 18 to 20 billion cubic feet a year. Included would be 63 to 72 billion board feet of sawtimber. The present growth was estimated at 13 billion cubic feet, including 35 billion board feet of sawtimber.

About 4,000 persons have failed to claim various decorations in the Order of the British Empire, awarded during and since the war.

DO YOUR NERVES PLAY TRICKS ON YOU?

If your nerves "jump" at a sudden noise . . . or you feel so edgy and low in spirits that you pick a quarrel without meaning to . . . look out! Perhaps your store of nervous energy may be almost used up . . . and your body needs help! That's when you need a good tonic, like Dr. Chase's Nerve Food . . . to help build you up so you can get your proper rest at night. That's when you'll really feel the benefit of the Vitamin B₁, iron and other needed minerals this time-tested tonic contains! For Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has been proven in over 50 years of use. And Canadians, by the thousands, say they rest better, eat better, feel better—yes, and look better, too—after taking Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. So if worry, anxiety, the strenuous pace of modern living is upsetting your nerves—get Dr. Chase's Nerve Food today. The name "Dr. Chase" is your assurance. The large "economy size" is your best buy.

Course On World Affairs Reopens

A night school course on current world affairs, which was closed temporarily during the pre-Christmas term, will be reopened Feb. 24.

Director of the course is J. P. Simon of the Canadian Institute of International Affairs who was called away during the first term to give a series of lectures at U.S. universities.

New members will be accepted for the classes which will be held at Victoria High School.

Program is as follows:

February 24 — China: Confucius, his principles; orthodox Confucianism; authoritarianism.

March 3 — China: The peasant rebellion; Sun Yat Sen; nationalism; early days of the Kuomintang; early days of the Chinese Communism.

March 10 — China: The degeneration of the Kuomintang; Chinese Communists and their new democracy.

March 17 — China: The impact of the west on China; impact of the U.S.S.R. on China; consideration of the future.

March 24 — India.

March 31 — Southeast Asia: Relationship between the metropolitan powers on the Asiatic colonies; growth of Nationalism; racial and minority problems; Nationalism and Communism; trusteeship.

Seamen Insist On Hiring Halls

HALIFAX (CP)—Gus Genites, port agent here for the Canadian Seamen's Union (T.L.C.), said at the week-end that the union would strike if a hiring hall clause was rejected by the Shipping Federation of Canada.

A federal conciliation board, hearing a dispute between the C.S.U. and deep-sea ship owners, announced Saturday at Ottawa it had "failed at conciliation."

(However, it recommended that the companies hire seamen either through union offices or through the seamen's section of the national employment service).

Chief issue in the dispute is the insistence of ship owners that the practice of hiring unlicensed seamen through a C.S.U.-operated hiring hall be discontinued.

The hiring hall gives the C.S.U. almost complete control over placement of seamen although not all are union members.

However, Genites made it clear the hiring hall clause in the contract has not been abandoned.

He said shipping on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts as well as the Great Lakes would be paralyzed if the C.S.U. should order strike action to enforce its demands.

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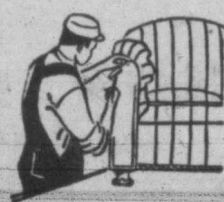


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B.C. Cities Seeking To Double Poll Tax

The Union of B.C. Municipalities today asked the Provincial Legislature to increase the poll tax from \$5 to \$10 and extend it to all employed persons, male and female, above the age of 18.

If this were adopted the union wants the present \$2 annual road tax abolished.

The recommendations were contained in the union's annual submission to the Legislature's municipal affairs committee which met today for the first time during the current session under the chairmanship of A. C. Hope, Coalition, Delta.

The committee was told that the changes would roughly quadruple the poll tax revenue. At the present time the tax is only collected from males over 21.

The amendments were proposed by Rossland and approved by the Association of Kootenay Municipalities and the Union of B.C. Municipalities annual convention held in Harrison Hot Springs last September.

The union, in its brief to the committee, pointed out that if the proposal were adopted it would be necessary to increase the exemption limit.

"Thus it is possible that some persons paying property tax of \$5 or more but not \$10, who would be exempt now, may under the proposed amendment find they are liable to a proportion of the poll tax," said the brief.

At the present time, the committee was told, the poll tax revenue for municipalities outside Vancouver totals about \$100,000 per year.

The suggestion met with some opposition from members of the Legislature.

Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F., MacKenzie, questioned whether the financial conditions of the municipalities was so precarious as to warrant this increase levy against the taxpayers, particularly in view of the municipal grants from the provincial sales tax.

R. R. F. Sewell, secretary of the union, said he thought they were.

"Teachers get most of the sales tax revenue," said Mr. Sewell.

C. D. McQuarrie, who acted as

Lethal Load On Oil Truck Brings Scare; No Blast

VANCOUVER (CP)—Truck driver Stanley R. Essex made a mistake today—he took out the wrong truck.

Driver of a furnace oil truck, he left the Imperial Oil Co. plant in a truck loaded with 300 gallons of highly-explosive aviation gasoline.

But it did not reach the furnace tanks of his customers. Vehement radio calls were put out over police and commercial stations, and finally Essex was located, stuck in a snowbank close to the home of his first customer for the day.

A householder heard the radio warnings: saw the snow-halted truck from her window, and notified the driver of the lethal load.

LONDON (AP)—The King, feeling much better, will return to London Thursday after a six-week country holiday. Buckingham Palace sources said his rest at Sandringham Castle had considerably improved the circulation of his legs.

spokesman for the union, cited the case of Victoria. He said that teachers' wages had gone up from \$600,000 to \$800,000.

Again Mr. Gargrave contended that this increase in wages for teachers was more than covered by the sales tax grants. He suggested that they would amount to a minimum of \$264,000 a year.

Mrs. T. J. Rolston, Coalition, Vancouver-Point Grey, said that the poll tax was inadequate anyway. It was collected from some persons and not others.

T. A. Love, Coalition, Grand Forks-Greenwood, wanted to know how many municipalities imposed the poll tax. He said it was a sort of a nuisance tax anyway.



Control Tower Collapses As Fire Sweeps Vancouver Airport

News from Vancouver today is that a \$500,000 administration building may be constructed at that city's International Airport to replace the one destroyed by fire Saturday night. Mayor Charles E. Thompson said he would ask the special airport committee to order plans prepared for a new airport control centre. "We will approach the Dominion government for an interest-free loan to build it," he said. Picture above, taken at the height of the fire, shows the control tower, centre, collapsing. A temporary tower was erected Sunday. (See story, "Airport, Warehouse Fires," page 3.)

Start This Year On Post Office, Says Mayhew

A start will be made this year on Victoria's \$2,000,000 Post Office building on Government Street, Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew promised today.

Interviewed while on a brief visit to the city, the minister said demolition of present buildings on the site of the new Post Office had been delayed because tenants had not been able to move to other premises.

"We are landlords, like anyone else," he said. "We cannot put people out. Accommodation is scarce and we have not wanted to press the issue on this account."

The government had been assured, however, that its property would be vacated this year so that an early start could be made on the building.

WILL TAKE YEAR

He estimated construction would take more than a year. "If the new Post Office is occupied two years from today we will be doing pretty well," Mr. Mayhew said.

He said that most of the Dominion government's offices here would be moved to the new four-story Post Office building, but the customs service would remain in the present Post Office building.

The old building will be modernized throughout, Mr. Mayhew said. Extra room for the customs department would be provided.

He said that the Dominion civil service had expanded greatly in the last two years, and the need to bring widely-scattered offices in Victoria under one roof was great.

Plans for the new building had been completed for some time and they call for a dignified yet modern building. (See Federal Election, Page 15)

Vancouver Happy As Rain Returns

VANCOUVER (CP)—The patter of rain on the roofs was a happy sound for Vancouverites today.

Heavy rain fell during the night and the weather bureau forecast "lots of rain" for the next three or four days.

Snow was fast disappearing from downtown streets following a four-inch fall during the weekend.

It will be some days, however, before there is any relief for the critical power situation. It will take several days of heavy rain to replenish near-dry reservoirs.

Ship Sinks, 7 Die

OSLO, Norway (AP)—Seven men were drowned Sunday when the 300-ton Norwegian ship *Bandak* ran aground and sank in the Sognefjord. Two men were rescued from the icy waters off Norway's west coast.

Norway Joins Discussion Of Atlantic Defence Pact

OSLO (AP)—Norway has decided to risk Russia's displeasure and cast her lot with the west by joining the North Atlantic defence talks.

Despite Russian warnings, the dominant Labor Party has approved the pro-western foreign policy of Foreign Minister Halvard M. Lange. The vote, taken at a party meeting, was 229 to 33, but the opposition on Sunday decided to make the vote unanimous.

EARLY VOTE EXPECTED

Parliamentary approval, still necessary, is expected this week.

All parties except the small Communist group are backing Lange's policies.

Norway's leaders feel a regional defence system offers more protection for small countries. But they rejected a Scandinavian pact with Sweden and Denmark because they believed it could not afford them the security they need unless it were tied in with the North Atlantic Pact.

The projected North Atlantic Alliance would link the defences of the United States, Canada, Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg.

Treaty Signatories Will Be Given U.S. Assurances

WASHINGTON—The proposed North Atlantic Pact will give its members strong assurances that the United States will not stand idly by in case of attack, it was learned today.

An official source, whose name may not be used, said the military clause of the pact will not commit the United States automatically to go to war. But, he said, it will carry assurance so strong that none will mistake the United States' intention to resist aggression.

It is understood State Secretary Acheson will negotiate with

representatives of the pact-making countries on the basis of this new understanding reached with the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Acheson and the Senate committee are reported in agreement on the military commitments that can be made.

Both chairman Tom Connally (Dem.-Tex.) and Senator Arthur Vandenberg (Rep.-Mich.), top Republican on the committee, are said to be satisfied with this new approach to the problem of giving treaty members the strong assurance they desire.

Court Rules De Bernoville Has Right To Stay In Canada

MONTREAL (CP)—Count Jacques Duce de Bernoville today won his fight to remain in Canada as a political refugee.

In Superior Court the writ of habeas corpus, by which De Bernoville fought a federal order for his deportation, was ruled upon in favor of the count.

He is under sentence of death in his native France for alleged collaboration with the Germans during the Second World War. ENTERED ILLEGALLY

The federal government had ordered De Bernoville deported on the grounds he had entered Canada illegally under the name of Benoit and also on the grounds that he was suffering from tuberculosis.

However, today's ruling was that his arrest and the order for his deportation were "irregular, illegal, and null and void."

Import, Export Controls Removed From Fats, Oils

OTTAWA (CP)—Removal of export and import controls on animal, vegetable and marine oils and fats was announced today by Trade Minister Howe.

The announcement said the action follows a decision by the International Emergency Food Committee to remove international allocations on these items.

During the period the allocations had been in effect, Canada was committed to maintain a

system of import controls in order to ensure that its purchases were kept within the allocations set by the committee.

With the suspension of international allocations, however, the Canadian government has removed domestic import controls.

The announcement said it had also been found that retention of export control on domestically-produced oils and fats is no longer necessary.

U.S. Fleet Goes To Stage Mock Battle In Atlantic

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States Navy shoved off today for a mock battle with two things that give it gooseflesh—atom bombs and "snorkel" submarines.

Major warships, including the 45,000-ton carrier Franklin D. Roosevelt, sailed from east coast ports for the mid-Atlantic, and later will go to the Caribbean.

Billed as the navy's biggest peacetime exercises, the games will combine some 35,000 men, 120 ships and several hundred aircraft.

The Atlantic Fleet will be bedevilled by two imitation atom bombs, "simulated guided missile attacks" and an assortment

of new high-speed submarines that are practically invisible on a radar screen.

Watching the U.S. Fleet meet its mock A-bomb will be Admiral Sir Rhoderick R. McGrigor, commander-in-chief of the British Home Fleet.

The exchange of such high-ranking observers, plus a contingent of the Canadian Army taking part with the U.S. soldiers, sailors and marines underlines the close United States co-operation with British and Canadian forces in preparing defensive measures.

Just how closely the training of the two fleets is tied together will be learned.

Canadians Train 2½ Months

The Canadian Army formation of two platoons has been training for two and a half months at Camp Lejeune, N.C., in preparation for exercises with U.S. marines. One major operation will be an amphibious attack on the Island of Vieque, Puerto Rico.

The navy is on the alert not only for its first deep-sea trial of fighting ships against the A-bomb, but also because of disappearance of naval power by air power enthusiasts.

In particular, the U.S. Air Force has criticized the navy's

yet-unbuilt 65,000-ton carrier as a pushover for bombers.

The navy has argued heatedly that even the A-bomb could sink no more than one ship out of a task force because of the wide dispersal between ships.

During the manoeuvres one mock A-bomb will burst above the ships, another below the water in an effort to disrupt the amphibious assault landing that will climax the tests in mid-March.

(Canadian naval ships from the Esquimalt base as well as from Halifax will join the U.S. ships in the manoeuvres.)

Crew Of Seiner Saves Other Craft, Wharf From Fire

BELLA BELLA (CP)—The crew of the seine boat Otter Bay is credited with saving other fishing boats and a \$40,000 government wharf here from destruction by fire early Sunday.

The first broke out in the Vancouver seine boat Bernice L. Don, Thompson, a crew member and the only man on board the craft at the time, awakened when he smelled smoke. He said he opened the door of the galley, and that the room "seemed to explode into flames."

Clad only in night attire, he ran across the snow-covered decks

and awakened the crews of other boats.

Pumps were frozen and the fishermen were unable to fight the blaze. The crew of the Otter Bay managed to get a line on the flaming seiner, and towed her away from the wharf to a nearby island, where the fire burned for several hours.

NORTH HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (AP)—Bandleader Jimmy Dorsey's wife, Jane, 39, was seriously burned today as fire destroyed their home in Toluca Lake Estates.

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STILL LOOKING FOR GLOOM

EIGHTEEN MONTHS AGO IN THESE columns we suggested that certain elements in Canada and the United States were beginning to predict or talk about an early recession—a softer term for depression. Our general injunction to the public was to beware of the "crepe-hangers." We dropped the hint that it never appeared to occur to these "economic fatalists" that their lugubrious concept of the future could be changed by mixing a little ingenuity and practical understanding with that species of defeatism which is usually born of ignorance. Perhaps ignorance was not the correct term to apply to these prophets of gloom; so far as Canada was concerned, of course, the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation had brought itself to the point at which it really believed that its only hope of success at the polls might come as a result of a repetition of conditions which prevailed in the early 'thirties.

On the public platform and over the airwaves—and recently in the Legislature of British Columbia—the disciples of the Winch pattern of authoritarianism have used every rhetorical artifice to persuade an intelligent electorate that only from the system of public ownership and operation of practically everything would emerge that measure of full employment and prosperity to which mankind is entitled. We do not propose to insult the intelligence of the ever-growing number of readers of this newspaper by laboring the utility of this Socialistic thesis. Saskatchewan's C.C.F. Premier Douglas has done that for us in the most convincing fashion. In the Legislature of that province as recently as last Wednesday, making his contribution to the Debate on the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne, he told the people, through their elected representatives, that "some secondary industries at best were experimental and belonged to private enterprise" . . . and that "the government was anxious to have private industry come into the province to develop oil and mineral resources" . . . admitting, at the same time, that three crown corporations had become "problem children" of which at least two "may fold up." And the head of Canada's first governmental Socialistic experiment was honest enough to state in categorical terms that the expansion of social services in Saskatchewan "had nearly reached its limit."

It would appear unnecessary to enlarge upon the honest confession of Premier Douglas. It is nevertheless by no means inappropriate to allude to the charge which Mr. Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F. member for the important British Columbia riding of Mackenzie, levelled at the Coalition administration in the Legislature the other day. This good-humored product of the rough-and-tumble of British politics described Premier Johnson's forthright and practical proposals for the development of this province as an "election bribe." The member for Mackenzie knew full well, of course, that he was talking through his unruly tuft of hair. What he was fearing—and he was no doubt speaking on the instruction of his pseudo-Marxist leader—was that the implementation of the Coalition government leader's courageously-enunciated program would postpone the "depression" for which the Socialists of this province appear to be fervently praying in the hope that its effects would grease their path to power in this last great frontier of the Canadian West.

The only footnote which seems desirable to add to the foregoing is the suggestion—off repeated in these columns—that the provincial Liberals and the provincial Progressive Conservatives hold their Coalition line. It is to be hoped, therefore, that no more will be heard from any of the two major political parties in this province of the stupid idea of "going it alone" at the next provincial election.

NONE SO BLIND . . .

BECAUSE HE HAS DEVOTED HIS TIME and abilities to a searching study of the question, the remarks of Mr. Forrest L. Shaw, former city solicitor and presently a member of the B.C. Power Commission, should command a thoughtful audience when he speaks on amalgamation in this community. The logic and consideration of his remarks to the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau the other day add further strength to the point he makes. In his opinion, those who are uninformed on the question may quite conceivably have objections to co-ordination of all services now under different municipal jurisdictions. But none other than those who are completely blinded by parochial prejudice can object to his advocacy of co-operative investigation of the proposal.

In season and out, arguments have been presented in these columns favoring amalgamation. They have, of course, been predicated on the understanding that certain problems would be entailed in such an undertaking. Those problems, however, are capable of solution if they are tackled. They probably will be solved by the ultimate pro-

cesses of municipal evolution, but they could be settled much more easily were the different elements in Greater Victoria to adopt the reasonable attitude of making a common attack on them. As Mr. Shaw noted, the far more perplexing issues of Confederation are yielding to the willing and joint efforts of authorities in Newfoundland and Canada. How much longer must we rest under the stigma of parochial narrowness which prevents the component parts of Greater Victoria from getting together and studying their own interests with a view to unification?

DON'T FORGET THE VIEW

REPRESENTATIONS OF SEVERAL interested organizations regarding the clearing and flooding of land involved in the Campbell River hydro-electric project of the E.C. Power Commission are well worthy of study by the government departments concerned. The John Hart development in the Campbell River area will bring needed power to this island; its benefits will be many and widespread. But care should be taken to see that other natural assets are not needlessly destroyed or injured in the promotion of industrial advances.

To this end the B.C. Natural Resources Conservation League and a number of fish and game associations have asked that timber and debris be cleared from lands which will be flooded by the storage lake to be formed by expansion of the power site. The organizations note also that the logging of Butte Lake, a prized scenic and sportsman's area, has been proposed as a prior step in incorporating the valley in the storage scheme. They have told the provincial cabinet that "no move should be made to log this, or any other lake, until such time as contracts for power are executed and at no time should the B.C. Power Commission be allowed to ruin any of our public parks."

In bringing this matter to public attention the organizations mentioned have rendered a public service. It is inevitable that industrial progress will mar some spots that have become renowned for their scenic and sporting attractions. That is a price we must pay for material advancement. But careful planning and consideration of more than purely commercial factors should enable us to achieve the maximum of development with a minimum of destruction and aesthetic deterioration.

EXTRATERRITORIALITY

DECISION OF THE CITY COUNCIL TO retain ownership of the proposed airport site in Gordon Head with the thought that the plan may subsequently be carried out, serves only to extend an already unsatisfactory situation. Here would appear to be a case of one civic body holding over the heads of the taxpayers of a neighboring municipality the threat that their democratically expressed wishes to kill the scheme may be ignored and the matter put to the vote again and again until sheer repetition wins the day. We may imagine the remarks that would be passed in the City Council chamber if the shoe were on the other foot, and Saanich were helping to continue the threat of a project against which the majority of the residents of, say, James Bay, had voted emphatically. Since City Council members are safe from the reaction of Saanich voters, they would seem to have a preferred position. But it is not a position that can be easily defended on the grounds of democratic justice.

SEE YOUR DOCTOR!

WHEN HE SPOKE TO THE OAK BAY Kiwanis Club the other day, Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson, Superintendent of the Poyai Jubilee Hospital, dropped an observation which could be noted with profit by most of our citizens. In effect, he said that the way to get people to take preventive medicine was to tell them they could not get it.

This able medical official, perhaps, was indulging his flair for a psychological approach to hypochondriacs and others. But it is well that men like Dr. Anderson should "speak out loud in public meeting," not only because, under the new hospitalization plan, it will be necessary for the general public to realize collective responsibility in the matter of health preservation, but also because it is highly essential that every taxpayer should know to what he or she is contributing.

It would seem to the layman that the main trouble of this and other communities is to be found in a disinclination on the part of most people to take those preventive measures of which they are being constantly warned by professional men who have devoted the greater part of their lives to the study of health.

FUTURE TIMBER

ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT functions of the B.C. Forest Service is the annual planting of millions of fir seedlings. It provides a measure of guarantee that this province will not eventually be denuded of its forests—that reforestation will take place even in those areas where the natural processes of seed distribution appear to have failed. This season, if the conditions of weather and labor are favorable, some 10,000,000 seedlings will be heeled in to start the long period of growth that will culminate in timbers for homes and buildings a couple of generations from now. This is "farming" on a long-term scale, but it is farming nevertheless. And it must conform to the same laws that govern crops of shorter maturing periods—there must be planting, either naturally or by hand, before the harvest can eventually be gathered in.

Walter Lippmann

FACT TROUBLE AND ITS CURE

THE TROUBLE over the Atlantic Pact, which has been advertised to all the world by the Scandinavian crisis and then by the discussion in the United States Senate last Monday, has been brewing for some months. The trouble can still be set right. But not by any new combination of words in the pact itself. For the trouble arises from a fundamentally false idea which the American negotiators, with the best of intentions but for lack of experience, accepted.

This was the idea that American military collaboration with Western Europe—a necessary and desirable thing—could be had to be based on a treaty which would run a long time—for as many as 16 to 20 years.

THE IDEA is fundamentally false. It is not possible to write a treaty which will guarantee military collaboration over a long period of time. The United States cannot under the Constitution do this. No other country can in fact, whatever its constitutional theory, do it. Witness the British and French guarantees to Czechoslovakia before Munich, and their twenty-year treaties, signed during the war and still theoretically valid, with the Soviet Union.

Nor is it necessary to write such a treaty for the purpose of achieving military collaboration of the most intimate and effective kind as long as the situation calls for it. Witness United States military collaboration with Canada, with Great Britain as a result of the famous Churchill-Roosevelt arrangement about the destroyers and the bases, with Denmark about Greenland.

A STRONG CASE can be made for a pact which gives legal recognition to the Atlantic Community. A strong case can be made for military aid and special collaboration with Britain, France, and Benelux. But to attempt to fit them together was to drive a square peg into a round hole. It was bound to produce one grave crisis after another. It has already done serious, perhaps irreparable, damage in Scandinavia. It has now, because the Senators were compelled to state the self-evident but forgotten truth, brought about a severe crisis of confidence in Western Europe. If the underlying idea of treating the pact as the contract of a military coalition is not reconsidered, a destructive debate will be provoked both here and abroad.

THE RIGHT COURSE is in principle quite clear, and should avoid many otherwise insuperable practical difficulties. The Atlantic Pact should be divorced entirely from the forthcoming bill to provide military aid. That is to say, adherence to the pact should not be a condition for receiving military aid. Nor should it be deemed a pledge that military aid, over and above that to which all victims of aggression are entitled under the charter, will be given to those who sign, and by implication denied to those who do not sign or are not invited. The pact, in other words, should not be treated as a military alliance. I say this as a firm believer in the need for close military collaboration between North American and Western Europe. That collaboration should be founded, however, not on the Atlantic Pact but upon concrete military accords (similar to those made by E.C.A.) under a military aid bill.

THEN, AMERICAN special collaboration in the North Atlantic would not be dependent on a formula in a pact which must either promise too much to be a genuine commitment or too little to be convincing to friends and opponents abroad. The United States could proceed directly to the immediate practical objective, which is to build a North Atlantic military system. It would develop under practical experience. Congress would review it each year to determine whether the system worked and was still necessary.

Not only the constitutional power of Congress in regard to war would be respected but also its right to be consulted in the great measures that might precede a war. The alliance would exist de facto. But it would be permanent only if and as each Congress, because the country continued to believe in it, renewed the appropriations on which it rests.

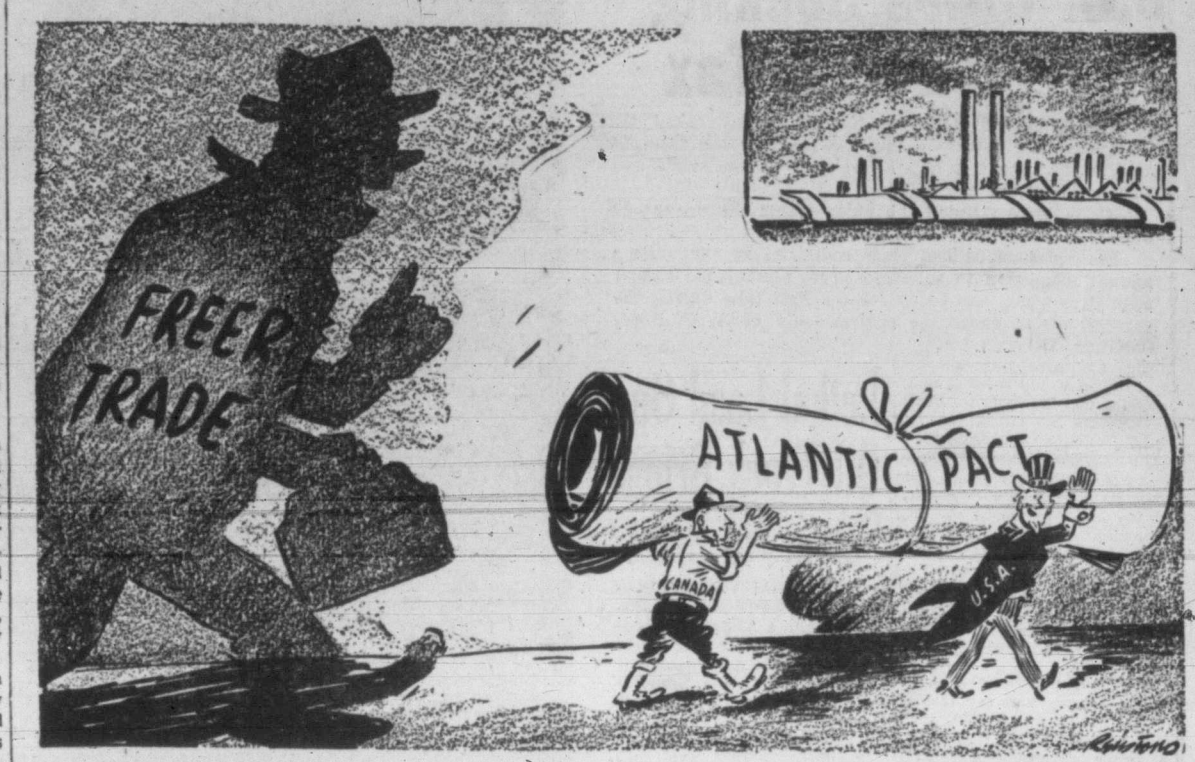
IF, AS I HAVE ARGUED, the alliance is made temporary and de facto, on military accords negotiated under the military aid bill, what is the meaning of the pact? Essentially what Senator Vandenberg said it would have to be: the formal recognition of a community of interest. The function of the pact would not be to organize a military coalition around the periphery of the Soviet Union. Its function would be to encourage the organization of the disunited fragments of western society—to establish a legal foundation upon which the western society can evolve the supra-national institutions that it must have if it is to survive and is to flourish.

CONCEIVED IN THIS way, and excluding nations in the buffer belt, the pact, after the necessary revision, could be presented sincerely and without casuistry to the United Nations as a regional arrangement within the intent of the charter.

And it could be presented to the American people as honestly within the paramount rule of American foreign policy, laid down by Washington: "to steer clear of permanent alliances . . . taking care always to keep ourselves by suitable establishments on a respectable defensive posture, we may safely trust to temporary alliances for extraordinary emergencies."

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Don't Look Now, But Are We Being Followed?



GLOBAL SURVEY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

THERE was some easing during the week-end in the anxiety of prospective European members of the projected North Atlantic alliance over the United States' position towards the pact.

Things brightened enough so that Norway's dominant Labor Party Saturday gave the government the go-ahead signal to join the Security Pact conferences. All that remains now to ensure Norway's participation in the talks is parliamentary approval.

This somewhat more cheerful outlook followed United States Secretary of State Dean Acheson's cards-on-the-table conference in Washington Saturday with the ambassadors concerned.

HOW FAR TO GO

The Europeans have been pressing for positive assurance that the United States will give immediate military assistance in event of aggression. The issue in Washington has been how far the United States should go in meeting this demand.

The concern of the European countries about the American position isn't, I take it, due to any doubt that the United States would participate militarily in another major war in the old world. It's due to doubt as to "when" she would participate.

That matter of "when" is a mighty item in the calculations of the countries concerned. Or, at least, it was until the United States made it self-interest, if nothing else, would compel the United States to participate in another European upheaval. The experiences of two global wars have demonstrated that the forward defenses of the United States lie in the old world.

IN FROM START

However, the fact remains that the United States didn't enter the last war formally until more than two years after Hitler had struck. The prospective European members of the Atlantic alliance have made it clear that they want to be sure the United States is in right from the start if trouble comes.

Flexibility

Winnipeg Free Press
Government departments, in official activity, do have their troubles in keeping off one another's toes while carrying out their respective functions.

Recently it was brought to the attention of one government office in Whitehall that ants were loose in the vicinity. A chit was passed to the Department of Public Works. In due time came the reply that ant poison could be supplied, but only if the creatures were outside the building concerned. If inside, the matter must be taken up with the Department of Health.

Further investigation of the ant situation uncovered a real crisis—some ants were inside, some were on the windowsill, some outside, and a few were observed passing back and forth.

But after inter-department consultations, an inspired solution was developed. A joint supply of poison would be provided, and after being mixed would be applied to all ants regardless of whether they were Health Department ants or belonged to the Department of Public Works. There is no hold down the British!

As Our Readers See It

THANKS FOR RIDES

On behalf of my comrades at the Veterans' Hospital, I wish to sincerely thank the drivers who have so kindly piloted our bus to places of entertainment and also taken us for many pleasant drives. Our thanks also are due to a taxi company, which on several occasions has kindly donated the use of cars to us. These kind gestures are what go towards making life harmonious and are most certainly appreciated by us all.

GEO. W. BROOKBANK,
Veterans' Hospital, Richmond Rd.

ANSWERING CABARET OWNERS

According to press reports the B.C. Cabaret Owners' Association has presented a statement to the government of our province asking for increased privileges to sell liquor. So far as made public this brief does not contain one new idea. What it says has been said over and over again and has always been refuted by facts and experience. Surely when liquor vendors pose as moral reformers they only make themselves ridiculous and deceive no one. Why do not the B.C. Cabaret Owners come out and say frankly that what they want—and all they want—is a bigger chunk of the 55 million dollars spent by the people of B.C. annually on liquor? It should not take seven pages to make that clear, everyone knows what the vendors are after.

Perhaps the most arresting statement in the brief is the unashamed admission that these cabarets are places of open lawlessness which the owners are unable or unwilling to run within the law under which they obtained their licenses. Many people suspected that these condi-

tions prevailed, but it has been left for the men who operate the cabarets to tell us just what sort of places cabarets are.

Much publicity has been given to petitions which are said to have been signed, by cabaret frequenters, in favor of more facilities for the sale and consumption of strong drink. But no government is going to be influenced by petitions which are being signed by people the cabaret owners say are habitual law breakers. The assumption seems to be that if a law is broken often enough, then abolish or amend the law in favor of the lawless. This line of reasoning is never used by any but liquor dealers. Why not say the same about laws against theft or bigamy?

E. A. HOLT,
710 Fort St.

IN APPRECIATION

The Junior Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital would be most grateful if you would allow them, through your paper, to publicly acknowledge the very generous \$500 donation from the Rotary Club of Victoria to our auxiliary.

The Hon. George Pearson, Minister of Health and Welfare, has stressed the need for hospital auxiliaries' help during the Government Hospital Insurance scheme and our organization is sincerely grateful for the interest and co-operation extended by business firms and service clubs of this city.

We, as a philanthropic group, offer our thanks as do those who receive the benefits that such donations make possible.
(Mrs.) DOROTHY AYLAND,
Corresponding Secretary,
Junior Auxiliary to the
Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Actions Speak Louder . . .

By JAMES THRASHER, From New York

IF NORWAY'S dilemma could be considered in the abstract it would be simple to solve. The country has two offers. It may join a North Atlantic alliance for mutual protection against possible Russian aggression. Or it may accept a pact of friendship and non-aggression which Russia has offered.

OBVIOUS ANSWER

The choice would be easy if abstract reasoning applied. Why join an alliance against aggression when you have a solemn treaty guaranteeing that such aggression will never take place? The answer would be obvious. But Norwegian Foreign Minister Lange took off for the United States to discuss the possibility of joining the alliance almost as soon as he had received the Russian offer. The implication of this gesture was exceedingly unflattering to the Soviet government.

Reduced to essentials, it meant that Soviet policy is a fabric of lies, that the men who make that policy are untrustworthy, and that the Norwegian government knows it. It meant that Norway was forced to base its decision on the assumption that the Soviet's solemn pledges are meaningless.

There was a time, between the wars, when Communist apologists could boast that the Soviet government had never wavered on an international agreement. But that was in the days when it was expedient for the Bolsheviks, as newcomers to the community of governments, to be on their good behavior. Their hold was shaky and their problems were acute. They had enough troubles at home without inviting any from abroad. So they put up a front of honor and respectability in formal dealings with other governments.

But, at that, Norway aligned with the west should be in a happier position than Sweden and Denmark, which apparently have chosen to put their faith in strict neutrality. For these two small countries so close to Russia know the history of Soviet trustworthiness as well as Norway does. In that knowledge, a policy of neutrality must offer a rather dubious comfort.

DUBIOUS COMFORT

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CLIPPED AT RANDOM

WOMAN'S FRIEND

Washington Post
More may be heard down the years of Charles Nestle, the 80-year-old inventor of the permanent wave, who recently received a citation from the American Women's Voluntary Services in New York. Some solemn-minded persons were a little shocked to find Mr. Nestle being honored along with Helen Keller and Dr. Sarah Gibson Blanding, president of Vassar College. But, as those who bestowed the honor pointed out, Charles Nestle had "enhanced the appearance and social life of women throughout the world and also had given impetus to the beauty trade, largely operated by women."

SOCIAL USAGE

Windsor Star
Speculation on the relative social ranking of tea and coffee would have in the past seemed to us the acme of foolishness. But apparently it is not as foolish as it sounds.

Anyway in one of our American contemporaries we see five hundred words devoted to the subject. The conclusion is that as coffee is more generally used in the United States than is tea, the woman whom it is desired to honor most should be asked to pour the coffee and the second-ranker the tea. It is admitted that tea has seniority in history, but history bows to usage.

We suppose on the same general principles the footman will have no problem should a Rolls-Royce and a Ford arrive at the door simultaneously. Certainly the latter are more generally used than the former. So the way for Mrs. Gilbreck to outrank Mrs. Diamondberg in her Rolls is to arrive in a Ford.

Tells All

DID YOU know that the Governor-General of Canada takes precedence over the King and Queen when they visit this country? Do you know the liquor regulations of each of the provinces of Canada? Are you familiar with the details of the Income Tax Act? Can you dig up the names and address of officers of a bank or financial house in any part of the Dominion? Do you know how to address a letter to a judge? Do you ever have to look up the customs duty on an article you want to import? Do you wish to know the names of the officers of a remembered association or society in your old home town?

These are a few of the questions that are answered in the 1949 edition of The Canadian Almanac, published by the Copp Clark Company of Toronto. In more than 800 pages crammed with information, the book covers a wealth of interesting and useful facts.

It's not a book to keep by your bedside, but it certainly has a place on every business desk or reference shelf. In more than 100 years of publication the annual edition has grown from a small pamphlet to the present handy volume. There are not many facts about the Dominion and its provinces—Newfoundland is included this year—that are not to be found among the 50,000 indexed listings in the almanac. It's well worth looking through—again and again.
B. A. T.

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Big Business Sees No Drawbacks To '49 Expansion

By PETER EDSON
WASHINGTON—Big business is going ahead with plant expansion plans for 1949 involving many billions of dollars.

Top men in representative blue-chip companies have gone on the record confirming such wide-scale expansion, despite reports that there would be severe curtailment as a result of the election.

The reports that industry was slashing 1949 expansion outlays became loudest after the President's message to Congress, in which he suggested that the government might go into the construction of steel plants to increase production in that industry.

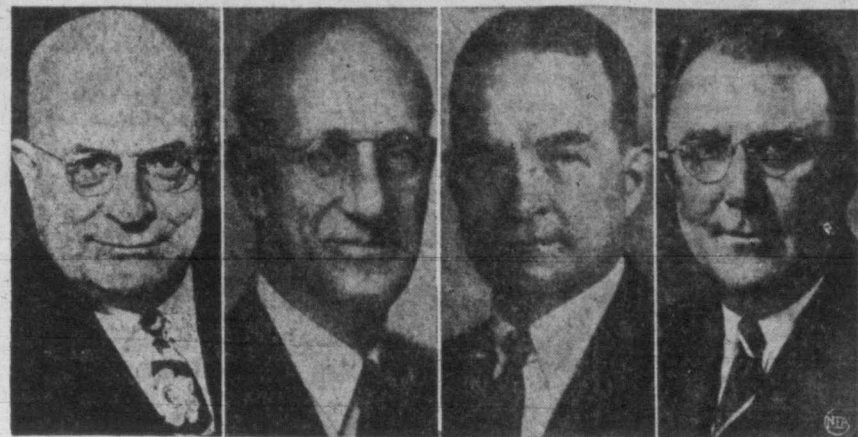
An almost unanimous reversal of such reports came from 16 of America's biggest industrialists. They were among 25 corporation board chairmen and presidents queried by NEA Service on whether their companies were now curtailing expansion for political or other reasons, including the President's recommendations for new tax and business control legislation.

The answers came from such industries as General Electric, U.S. Steel, Standard Oil of New Jersey, du Pont, General Foods, and the Kaiser companies. Of the 25 queried, four could not be reached and five did not reply.

FLOWED BACK PROFITS
Here are the answers:
From C. E. Wilson, president, General Electric:

"General Electric will continue with all expansion projects now under way and I see nothing in present conditions to warrant industry doing otherwise. Since 1940, General Electric... by plowing back some 800 million dollars... increased plants from 49 to 129."

It was further explained for General Electric that the expansion program it set in 1945 is now



Kaiser's Kaiser
"We have no thought..."

General Food's Francis
"We are adhering..."

U.S. Steel's Olds
"We have not canceled..."

G-E's Wilson
"We will continue..."

being completed, and that there was some apparent slowdown of expansion for that reason. But it was emphasized that political considerations had nothing to do with this. Several other companies expressed the same idea.

From F. W. Abrams, chairman of board, Standard Oil of New Jersey:

"Our capital expenditure estimates for 1949 are based on our estimate of consumer needs... Our construction program for 1949 will be substantially the same as in 1948, when we invested \$550,000,000, and has not been affected by political considerations."

TO CONTINUE EXPANSION

The Ford Motor Co. "intends to continue its expansion" in 1949 and expects to increase car and truck output May 1, according to Henry Ford II.

Ford said his company "intends to continue its expansion and modernization program in 1949 and each year thereafter."

"We have in no way curtailed our plans, nor given up any of our long-range programs. Our dollar expenditures in 1949 will not be as great as in the last year, but only because of the time required to develop product and expansion plans... We expect to increase car and truck output May 1 if raw materials are available. Under that new schedule we would produce several thousand more cars and trucks than we did last year."

From Irving S. Olds, chairman, U.S. Steel:

Since VJ Day, U.S. Steel has embarked upon a \$900,000,000 construction program... over half of the above-mentioned amount has already been expended. We have not cancelled any part of this construction program."

From Roy A. Hunt, president, Aluminum Company of America:

"We are completing all work in progress as programmed and the expansions recently authorized are proceeding as scheduled... Further expansion will be determined by economic trends."

From M. B. Folsom, treasurer, Eastman Kodak:

"To catch up on plant construction eliminated by war years and to meet greatly increased customer demand... Kodak has pushed since the war-end the greatest plant improvement program in its history. Program not complete and will probably continue for some time."

NO CANCELLATIONS

From du Pont, not attributable to any one official, but said to represent the views of its management:

"The du Pont Company does not at this time plan to cancel or delay the construction of any new plant facilities already authorized. However, the general economic atmosphere in the country, together with government policies on taxation, profits and labor legislation, will necessarily determine the ability of any business, including ours, to embark upon future projects involving substantial expenditure."

NORMAL EXPANSION

From Robert B. McCall, president, American Locomotive:

"Although the changeover to 100 per cent Diesel production... has been completed, a normal process of expansion and improvement at our principal plant in Schenectady is under way."

From Clarence Francis, board chairman, General Foods:

"We are adhering to our capital expansion program on a schedule determined months ago."

From R. G. Dunlop, president, Sun Oil:

"During 1949 Sun Oil contemplates continuation of its historic policy of reinvesting approximately three-quarters of its an-

nual earnings in maintenance, betterment and expansion of its facilities."

From John Holmes, president, Swift & Company:

"Swift was not and is not planning expansion other than normal development and modernization."

SUBSTANTIALLY COMPLETED

From John D. Biggers, Libbey Owens-Ford Glass:

"Our postwar construction program started in 1945... is now substantially completed."

W. O'Neill, president, General Tire Co.:

"Our plans for expansion depend entirely on business and not on politics."

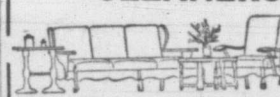
From William L. Batt, president, S-K-F Industries:

"Our present expansion program pretty well completed and the election had no effect on it one way or the other. However, had we made plans for 1949 expansion, I don't believe we would have changed them."

From Henry J. Kaiser:

"Kaiser is investing \$35,500,000 in 1949 to rush expansions of the Fontana, Calif., steel plant... Permanente Metals Corp. has already plowed \$5,000,000 of postwar earnings into new facilities and improvements. We will shortly open a new aluminum foil mill... have just leased a \$23,000,000 rod and bar mill..."

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To Name 2 Members Of Tariff Board

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent recently promised the government would soon announce appointments to the vacancies on the Tariff Board. The functions of the board are to advise the finance minister on tariff matters and also to settle disputes between the importers and custom officials.

Hector McKinnon, the government's top expert on tariff matters, is chairman of the board, but the other two posts are vacant. Charles H. Hevert, ambassador to Mexico, was the last to leave in 1946. Since the board requires a quorum of two to function, its business is piling up.

The importers have been urging the government to make the appointments so the 23 appeals before the board, some of which have been standing for a year, can be adjudicated. Other appeals are on the way.

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Pork Spare Ribs		lb.	45c

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	Sliced Side Bacon, cello wrapped	1/2 lb.	38c

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★ **Tomato Juice** Bright's Fancy, 20-oz. tins... **2 for 23c**

★ **Lard** North Star, 1-lb. carton... **21c**

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Apricots	Aust. Std. Halves, 28-oz. tin	30c
Pea Soup	Habitant, 28-oz. tins	2 for 31c
Flemish Pears	Summerland Std., 20-oz. tin	25c
Peas	Lynn Valley Std., No. 5, 20-oz. tins	3 for 25c
Cut Green Beans	Gardenside Std., 20-oz. tins	2 for 23c
Golden Corn	Taste Tells Choice, 20-oz. tin	19c

Everyday Values

Soap	Fels Naptha, cakes	2 for 25c
Peanut Butter	Beverly, 24-oz. jar	55c
Raspberry Jam	Tast-Pak, 48-oz. tin	59c
Dog Food	Dr. Ballard Champion, 15-oz. tins	2 for 25c
Pearl Barley	2-lb. bag	17c
Seedless Raisins	Australian, 2-lb. bag	29c
Rice	Round Grain, 1-lb. bag	18c
Guest Tea	1-lb. bag	75c

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White—lb. 8c

Potatoes

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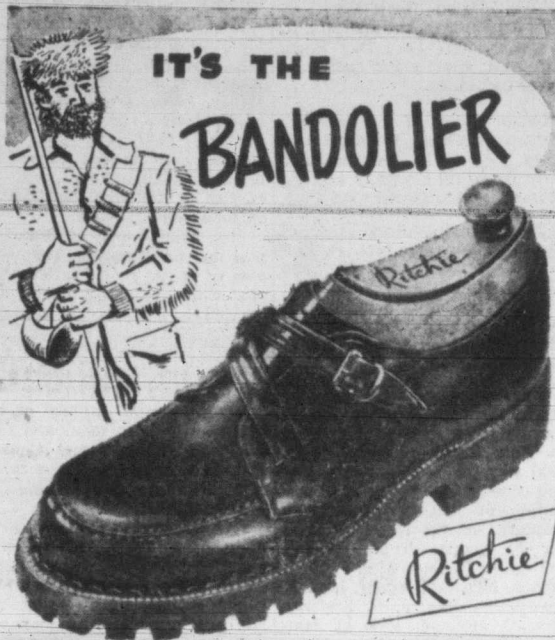
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J.A.R. Belanger Buys Dunelm Apartments

J. A. R. Belanger, retired C.P.R. agent at Kimberley, B.C., who had 48 years' service with

the company, has bought the Dunelm apartment block on Dallas Road. He intends leaving early for Montreal for a visit and will return to Victoria in May to make his home here. The deal was handled by J. P. Conroy, representative of Hawkes, Foster Ltd.



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Name Committees For Saanich Fair

SAANICHTON—In preparation for the 81st annual fall fair of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society, to be held Labor Day, at Saanichton, livestock and farm products sections committees have been named and various classes in the fair revised and brought up to date.

Under the convenership of Mrs. A. Doney, revision of sections directly connected with women's work will be launched at an early date.

A committee comprising George T. Michell, Dr. S. F. Miles and Walwin L. Williams was named to study the possibilities of erecting seating accommodation in view of the increased attendance at the saddle-horse competitions.

Exhibition committees for the fair include:

Hall and grounds: Frank Butler, Albert Doney, R. C. Derrinberg, W. J. H. Miller, Dr. S. F. Miles, George T. Michell, A. W. Aylard and R. E. Nimmo.

Horses: James Turner and Walwin L. Williams.

Saddle horses: Dr. S. F. Miles, W. L. Williams, Ted Hawkes, W. J. Lynn and R. D. Bennett.

Cattle: A. W. Aylard, H. C. Oldfield, Harold Brooks, H. G. Robinson, Ralph Rendle, P. B. Hoole, C. H. Williams, C. R. Easton and Harry Standen.

Sheep: R. C. Derrinberg, A. Lock, James Turner and M. M. Towers.

Swine: A. Doney and R. C. Derrinberg.

Rabbits: J. H. Wheeler, F. P. Boucher, A. Ingram and C. F. C. Sparkes.

Poultry: C. H. Borden, George MacGregor, Bert Pritchett, J. L. Lang and V. E. Virgin.

Eggs: Mrs. J. Hastings, W. J. H. Miller and J. H. Wheeler.

Grains, grasses, seeds, etc.: A. Doney and J. H. Wheeler.

Field roots for stock and potatoes: P. H. Hoole, V. E. Virgin and Russell Crawford.

Vegetables: George T. Michell, A. Doney and W. G. Burch.

Fruit: D. H. Heyer, R. V. Robinson, Charles Moss, Lt.-Col. R. H. Richardson.

Honey: D. H. Heyer.

Amateur photography: V. E. L. Goddard, Mrs. R. V. Robinson.

Indian department: Rev. Father X. Lauzon, Miss Hagan.

Sister M. Socorro, Marshall Harry and Eddy Underwood.

Sports: R. E. Nimmo, Russell Crawford, Capt. J. A. L. Wood.

F. Leno and J. W. Lott.

Saanich Farmers Honor Secretary

On behalf of the members of South Saanich Farmers' Institute, H. C. Oldfield presented a smoking stand suitably inscribed and a box of cigars to Geo. Spencer who for the past 31 years has acted as secretary-treasurer. Mr. Spencer was also made honorary vice-president and given a life membership in the institute.

R. S. Tait, Canadian Industries Limited representative for Vancouver Island, gave a talk on fertilizers accompanied by moving pictures.

Tom Nixon gave a short talk and demonstration of a new hand-operated fertilizer and fumigator for use in the soil around strawberries, plants, etc.

C. E. Jefferies of the Dominion Experimental Station, Saanichton, was asked to give a talk on seeds and grasses at the next monthly meeting, which he promised to do.

Radio Operator Has Nervous Breakdown

GIBRALTAR (CP)—Mystifying radio messages from the U.S. freighter William Phips apparently were clarified Saturday night when the vessel landed here and disembarked radio operator Lewis Pierce, suffering from a nervous breakdown.

The freighter's arrival followed by several hours' receipt at various points of a series of short-wave radio messages from the ship.

"They're trying to kill me," said one.

Another message picked up by short wave in Britain said: "Got Pierce, radio operator, locked in radio. They're trying to kill me. Help, smoking me out."

A United States destroyer was sent from Gibraltar to investigate the situation aboard the freighter, then in the Atlantic en route from Naples to Galveston, Tex.

An organ recital on a new improved Hammond Organ will be given by Bernard Ryall on Friday at 8.15 in Grace Lutheran Church. assisting soloists will be Miss Grace Adams and John Bray. There will be an offering for the new organ fund.



THEY'VE BEEN MARRIED 78 YEARS — Grandma and Grandpa Cutsinger have been married 78 years, and they believe their marriage is the longest in the United States. Celebrating their latest anniversary at their home in Humphreys, Mo., the Cutsingers are visited by, left to right, Kaye Keithley, one of their 58 great-grandchildren; Mrs. Evelyn Keithley, one of 26 grandchildren, and Mrs. Dorothy Larkin, oldest of nine children.

Test For Christianity Greatest In Centuries

YORK, Eng. (Reuter) — Most Rev. Cyril Garbett, Archbishop of York, said Sunday that Christianity is being attacked "as it has not been for centuries."

In a pastoral letter read today in churches of the arch diocese, the Anglican archbishop said: "In many countries the church is fighting for its very life against the atheism which rejects all faith in God and scorns the Christian church."

The Victoria Cymrodorion Society will celebrate St. David's Day, March 1, at Loughheed's Banquet Hall with a banquet and concert. This will be the forty-first event in an unbroken chain since the first banquet launched the Victoria Cymrodorion Society at the old Dryad Hotel, under the chairmanship of Dr. Forrest Leeder, with Maurice Thomas as secretary, in 1909.

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Betty Howell, Don Johnston Exchange Vows By Candlelight

Masses of pussywillows, daffodils, iris and boxwood blended with the glow of white tapers at First United Church when Elizabeth Claire Howell and Donald Balfour Johnston spoke their nuptial vows before Rev. Moir A. W. Waters, Saturday evening.

Many guests from out-of-town attended the 8 o'clock ceremony uniting in marriage the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Howell, 1360 Lang Street, and son of Mrs. Catherine Johnston, 1320 Dallas Road, and the late John Johnston.

Escorted by her father, the bride was gown in white brocade, the hoop skirt flounced to show lace ruffles, and slender sleeves pointed over the wrists. Seed pearls and orange blossom fashioned a

crown for her veil which misted waist-length, and she wore matching pearl necklace and earrings, her groom's gifts. Iris, feathered white carnations and freesias fashioned her cascade bouquet.

Misses Margaret Howell and Ellen Johnston were senior attendants in identical off-shoulder gowns of heavenly blue and of cameo pink brocade satin.

Pink and blue hyacinths fashioned halos for their hair and they carried Colonial bouquets of Spring flowers. Miss Myrre Beere, junior attendant, was in primrose yellow moire, with blue ruffle inset at the hemline. Her halo was of blue net and flowers, and she carried a Colonial bouquet.

Miss Florence Smith sang "O Perfect Love" while the register was signed and Mrs. Roberto Wood was at the organ.

Douglas Howell, brother of the bride, and Donald Smith, seated guests, and Richard D. Polard was best man.

Dr. Stanley S. Miles proposed the toast to the bride at a reception at Strathcona Hotel. Pink and white carnations and white candles formed the setting for the three-tier cake.

For the wedding trip by motor in United States, the bride chose a slate blue gabardine suit with burgundy Barthelemy topcoat, navy blue accessories, and Russian squirrel neckpiece. Her corsage bouquet was of orchids.

Crown Of Glory

MONTREAL (CP) — Juliette Gregoire, 27, stopped cutting her hair 10 years ago. Now it measures 53½ inches and reaches almost to her ankles. It requires 30 minutes brushing daily, and not even the hair dresser may touch it.



Enjoy Holiday At Famed Waikiki Beach

Mrs. J. Steck, 1214 Old Esquimalt Road, accompanied by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Rush of Port Alberni, returned to the city over the week-end after a five-week holiday in Honolulu and in Los Angeles and San Francisco. They spent two weeks at a famed summer resort at Waikiki and traveled by Pan-American Clipper to Los Angeles, where they visited relatives and friends before returning to this city. They arrived by plane from Seattle on Friday.

Seattle Speaker Urged Women Continue Fight For United World

One hundred and four members and friends of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club, gathered for dinner, Saturday evening, in the Grill Room at the Empress Hotel, to celebrate International Night in common with sister clubs in 20 countries throughout the world.

Among those present were representatives of clubs in Port Angeles, Vancouver, New Westminster and Lunenburg.

Herbert Dutton, in his address as guest speaker of the evening, challenged women to greater effort in the cause of bringing about a greater understanding amongst countries and the creating of one united world.

"We say there are two worlds today," he said, "and we point to western democracy and Communism. Poles apart in thought and engaged in what we name a 'cold war'."

"I warn you that if the western democracies fail to capture the spirit of the times, there will be three or four worlds. Then, we will have to start all over again."

Mr. Little spoke of the opportunity in co-operating with the peoples of China, India, Burma and Indo-China in building a new world.

"We must prove to them that we have something better to offer, and by example of our standard of living capture the support of those who might easily become the victims of Stalinism," he said.

The speaker was introduced by Miss Elizabeth Forbes, first vice-president of the club. Miss Jane Hall, recording secretary, expressed appreciation of the members at conclusion of his address.

President, Miss Marjorie Press, presided at the head table, and introduced honor guests, who included Mr. and Mrs. Little, Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., a charter member of the Victoria club, who brought greetings from the province of British Columbia; Mr. Paul W. Meyer, American Consul at Victoria who extended greetings from United States; and Mrs. Meyer; Alderman Ed. Williams, who extended greetings from Victoria; and Mrs. Williams; Mr. R. M. Burns, president, Victoria branch, Institute of International Affairs; and Mrs. Burns; Mr. Marian Sherman, president, Local Council of Women, and Mr. Sherman; Mrs. Margaret Campbell, Vancouver, regional president, National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs; and Miss Minnie Beveridge, provincial president, who extended international, national and provincial club greetings.

During the evening Ralph MacAdam, accompanied by J. Ingram Smith, gave a group of international songs.

Committee in charge of arrangements included Misses Mabel Cameron, Edith Parsell, Iola Worthington, K. Gibson and Mrs. F. J. Laughlin.

Anglican Diocesan W.A. Annual Meeting March 15-17

Annual meeting of the British Columbia Anglican Diocesan Women's Auxiliary, will be held in Memorial Hall from March 15 to 17, preceded by a preparation service in Christ Church Cathedral the evening of March 14. It was announced at the monthly board meeting held in St. Matthias Church Hall, Mrs. K. L. Sandercock, first vice-president, was in the chair.

Members were also reminded of the Woman's World Day of Prayer to be held in the First Baptist Church on March 4.

Rev. K. L. Sandercock took opening prayers; the scripture reading, and spoke briefly on the incident of the lame man at the gates of the temple, from which he pointed out how much the church has to offer a sick and helpless world.

Mrs. A. W. Walker welcomed members and treasurer Mrs. S. G. Wilson, reported receipts of \$171.32 for the month. Dorcas secretary, Mrs. A. Roach, announced prayer books sent to Nanaimo for scattered families in that district. Bibles to Port Alice and an appeal made for old woollen garments to be made into blankets.

Letters were read from the principal of St. Michael's School, Alert Bay, outlining school activities; from the president of the Diocesan W.A. of the Arctic telling of activities in Eskimo branches, one of which had made \$600 from sale of rugs made from baby seal skins; and a letter telling how Christmas was spent at All Saint's School, Akivik, in the diocese of the Arctic.

Welcome room report was given by Mrs. R. O. Taylor who

Good Feet Important, Journalist Says

TORONTO (CP) — Lotta Dempsey, Canadian journalist, says that in applying for her first job as a newspaper reporter she was whether she had good feet and a strong digestion.

Speaking at a meeting of the Toronto Branch of the Canadian Women's Press Club, she said she still isn't convinced that they are not the most important attributes of a reporter.

Miss Dempsey was honored at the meeting for having won the 1948 award of the Canadian Women's Press Club for the best handling of a news story. Her prize-winning article was "We, The People, vs. The Sex Criminal."

Girl Guide Notes

Tillamook — The local association of Tillamook guides and brownies are holding a tea at St. Martin's hall, Obed Avenue, on Wednesday at 2:30. Proceeds to go toward guide and brownie work.

Merry-Go-Round Decorates Table For Birthday Party

Miss Diana Symons was hostess to 18 young friends Saturday afternoon at the Victoria Avenue home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Symons, on the occasion of her ninth birthday. Guests enjoyed games during the afternoon in the gymnasium of St. Michael's School,

where Diana's father is headmaster, and later returned to her home for tea, served from a table decorated in a circus motif, with merry-go-round centerpiece, and with lollypops for favors. Candy baskets and place cards were all made by the young hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. W. Hyslop of Prince George, Miss Veryan Yarrow, Mr. A. MacPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Graham, attended the supper dance Saturday evening at Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Bate and their daughters, Misses Barbara and Jean Bate, and Mr. Bate's sister, Miss Eleanor Bate, are now vacationing at Palm Springs, and are expected to return to Victoria early in March. The party left Victoria last fall on a trip to England and the continent.

Among the many out-of-town guests at the Johnston-Howell wedding Saturday evening were Mrs. J. Griffith, sister of the groom from Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Napier of Ladner; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johnston, Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Collins, Sudbury; Mrs. J. M. Anderson, New Westminster; Miss E. Howell, North Vancouver; and Mrs. A. Morris, Miss M. Howell, Miss D. Brahan, and Mrs. W. F. Gibson, all of Vancouver.

Bryan Hugh Osborne were the names given the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carberry, 1647 Ross Street, at a christening service held at St. Matthias' Church, with Rev. K. L. Sandercock officiating. Godparents are Miss Marie Ellis, Mr. R. Drinnan and Mr. Ray Morris. Following the ceremony a tea was held at the home of the parents, when guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carberry, the babe's paternal grandparents, Col. and Mrs. M. Parker and daughter, Morley; Mrs. Ray Morris and son, Michael; Miss Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. R. Drinnan, Mr. and Mrs. H. McMillan and Mr. and Mrs. J. Rutledge of Duncan.

Grand-nephew of Dr. Ira Dilworth of Montreal, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Inglis was named for his great-uncle when he was christened Sunday at Ryerson United Church, Vancouver. John Ira Dilworth are the names the four-month-old baby received at the service conducted by Rev. E. D. Braden. He wore the robe which one of his godfathers, Arthur Benjamin of London, Eng., wore at his christening. His other godparents were John Avison and Miss Sheila Russell. His grandparents are Mrs. Arthur Richardson of Victoria and the late Alexander Inglis, and the late Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thompson of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. W. Hyslop of Prince George, B.C., with their children, David and Gillian, are guests of Mrs. Hyslop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Yarrow, 925 Foul Bay Road, for two weeks. Sunday afternoon, Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of British Columbia, officiated at the christening of Gillian in the chapel of the Peace of God in the Bishop's Close. A dress of French net, belonging to her mother, was worn by the child. Her godparents are Mrs. George Ward of Dundas, Ont., Mrs. Monty Williams, Rockland Avenue, and Mr. Alex Smith of Vancouver. Following the service, a tea for immediate family and friends was held at the home of the baby's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Yarrow.

St. John Ambulance. All superintendents, officers and N.C.O.'s will attend tonight a campaign organization meeting at headquarters, 715 View Street, at 8 p.m.

St. John Ambulance Brigade No. 65, Thursday, at 8 p.m. Victoria Nursing Division No. 61, will not meet tonight because of campaign organization meeting.

Oak Bay Nursing Division No. 176, Tuesday, at 8 p.m. Denton Holmes Nursing Division No. 148, Wednesday, at 8 p.m.

A. J. Dallain Nursing Division No. 210, Friday, at 8 p.m. Victoria Cadet Nursing Division No. 61c, tonight at 6:30 p.m. Denton Holmes Cadet Nursing Division No. 148c, Tuesday, at 6:30 p.m. Uniform inspection and drill, first aid, home nursing and child welfare classes as usual.

Oak Bay Cadet Nursing Division No. 176c, Friday, at 3:45 p.m. 2615 Oak Bay Avenue.

Club Calendar

Princess Alexandra Lodge, No. 18, Daughters of England, social evening, home of Mrs. E. Swan, canceled. . . . El Club Espanol, Wednesday at 8, 732 Yates Street, meeting conducted in Spanish. . . . Special meeting, Municipal Chapter, I.O.E., Wednesday, 7:30, headquarters, regents, conveners under municipal, conveners for national annual meeting must attend. . . . Colfax Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F. Hall, Douglas Street, Tuesday, 7:30, court whilst at 8:45; those wishing to attend Tuesday meetings at Veterans' Hospital to make dressings call Mrs. F. Robbins, E 5323.

Social meeting, Daughters of St. George, Victoria Lodge, No. 85, K. of P. Hall, Cormorant Street, Wednesday at 7:30. . . . Since dried fruits are usually sold by the pound, it is a good idea to keep in mind just how much volume one gets from a pound. The volume varies for each kind of fruit. A pound of raisins averages a little over three cups fruit by measure.

Newlyweds Plan Vancouver Home

En route to San Francisco on their honeymoon are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whitman Moore, who were married Friday evening at First Baptist Church. The couple will return to make their home in Vancouver.

Rev. G. R. Easter officiated and wedding music was played by O. Stout.

The bride, the former Miss Mary Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, was given in marriage by her father. Her frock of figured moire taffeta, featured peplum interest, and lace yoke and sleeves. A coronet of orange blossoms held her veil, and she carried a Colonial bouquet of daffodils and freesias.

Mrs. A. Hopper of Nanaimo was matron of honor. Her frock was of orchid moire taffeta, and she wore matching mitts, and carried a bouquet of daffodils and freesias.

Little Doreen Poole was flower-girl in a full-length ruffled peach taffeta dress.

Arthur Moore, brother of the groom, was best man, and ushers were William and Charles Hamilton, brothers of the bride. Miss Florence Smith sang "O Perfect Love."

A reception followed at Strathcona Hotel, where Mrs. Hamilton, wearing a grey crepe frock with matching hat, assisted in receiving guests. Mr. H. King proposed the toast.

For traveling the bride wore a smart wine suit and navy topcoat and wine accessories.

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The clothes tempo will be gay, subtle and detailed this year, as women across the Dominion concentrate on quality and line rather than startling innovations. A Canadian Press survey shows that the scale of blues used will range from navy to pastel tones.

Basic spring requirement will be a suit, often with a finger-tip jacket and knee-length or longer coats in matching material. Most suit skirts will be slender and some will be completed by a contrasting or matching waist-coats.

Navy blue crepe dresses, with touches of white or pink around the neck and cuff, will vie for popularity with the printed jersey. Indications are that the printed materials will be less vividly colored, depending more on intricate patterns in two or

three muted shades to catch attention.

In all clothes, detail in design will break out in rows of fancy buttons, scatter pins, big patch pockets and bits of embroidery on collars. Clothes prices are about the same as last year.

Although Paris predicts shorter skirts, Canadians are slow to adopt them again after a thorough conversion to the 32-34-inch from the floor mode. Montreal clothes might be a little shorter, and they seem to be catching on in Regina, but aside from this there is little change in skirt lengths.

Hearty casseroles taste twice as good on chilly days. One of our meal-in-a-dish favorites is made with pitted whole ripe olives and ground beef for heartiness, whole kernel corn for texture, and tomatoes and chili powder for the special seasonings. A sprinkling of grated cheese shortly before it leaves the oven gives it a flavor some golden topping.

**Queen Of McGill**

Beryl Dash, 29, British West Indies beauty attending McGill University, was crowned queen of the McGill winter carnival in Montreal Friday night. Miss Dash was elected in a secret ballot, result of which was not to be announced until Friday night. However, the report she had won came so widespread about the campus, carnival officials announced she was the winner. (CP Photo)

P.T.A. News

Royal Oak—A lecture will be given and films shown at a meeting of Royal Oak P.T.A. tonight at 8 in the school.

Happy Valley—A discussion of future policies will take place at the Happy Valley P.T.A. meeting to be held tonight at 8 at Happy Valley School.

Margaret Jenkins—A variety concert under auspices of Margaret Jenkins P.T.A. and convened by Mrs. G. Potts, was given in the school auditorium, Monday evening. The program was as follows: Pianoforte solos, Maxine Errington, Maurine Squires, Barbara Wallace, Daryl Howard, Grace Chamberlain, Margaret Baird, George Cummings, Shirley Anne Turner, Lorna Stuart, and Lorraine Brand; dances, Judy Hayhoe, Marilyn McElmoyle, Jane Hardie, Catherine McElmoyle, Maureen Carey, Suzanne McElmoyle, Muriel Vaughan-Smith, Ruth Thornderson, Sheila Hardie, Patricia Petrie, Diane Whitehead, Diane Tippet, and Elaine McBride; vocal solo, Garry Smeale; vocal duet, Judy Hayhoe and Josephine Lister; rhythm band, Mrs. Hoover's troupe; tumbling, David Brown, Terry Turcotte, Gary Small, Mitchell Hodge, Alfred Wetherall, Keith Murray, Frank Graham and Daryl Howard; railway skit, Shirley Chandler, Leona Wilkinson, Jack Easter and Harold Robinson; choruses, Divisions 1 and 2; club swinging, Charlene Hammon, Susan Lewis, Leona Wilkinson, Margaret Read, Carolyn Anderson and Roberta Hammon; skit, "Major Operation," Judy Potts, Valeria Nicholls, Judy Mangin and Bill Martell; Miss Brand and W. H. Muncy acted as accompanists.

Monterey—H. S. Hurn will speak on "Drama in the Schools," at a meeting of Monterey P.T.A. to be held in the school auditorium tonight at 8. Mrs. Ernest Evans will speak on "Founder's Day," and the violin choir, under George Bowers, will be heard.

Tolmie—A social evening honoring the sixth birthday of Tolmie P.T.A. and commemorating founders' day, was held in the school, Mrs. G. W. Pottinger, president, P.T.A. Council, and Mrs. T. B. Thompson, president, Craigflower P.T.A., took part in the candle lighting service, assisted by W. P. Jeanie, member of Greater Victoria School Board; C. A. Mitchell, school principal; Mrs. H. A. Giles and Mrs. H. Liness. Two films were shown and a vocal solo given by Mrs. L. Sturgeon. It was decided in the business session to enlarge the Tolmie School sports day rather than have the usual country fair in June. Mrs. H. A. Giles was named delegate to the P.T.A. convention in Vancouver in April.

Craigflower—Members of Craigflower P.T.A. observed founders' day with a candle lighting ceremony, when special guests were founders, past presidents and past and present students, also members of Esquimalt P.T.A. It was announced a card party is planned for tonight at 8 in the school and a St. Patrick's tea on March 16. After the meeting the gathering was entertained by the Esquimalt P.T.A. players and later refreshments were served, including a P.T.A. birthday cake.

Household Hints

A diluted solution of gelatin is good for restoring the crisp, new appearance to fine fabrics, such as organdie, voiles, silks, etc. Don't use too much, or the fabric will feel sticky. Add one pint of cold-water to an ounce of gelatin, and heat until it is dissolved. Dilute with hot water according to the stiffness desired. You can use from eight to 15 parts of hot water to one part of gelatin solution. Add a little borax to preserve the stock solution for later use.

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Clubwomen's News

Past President's Pin—At the regular meeting of Pro Patria Women's Auxiliary, held in the clubrooms, 525 Courtney Street, president Mrs. A. E. Macdonald, presented immediate past president Mrs. A. Dunkeld with the past president's pin. Three new members, Mesdames I. Grant, A. K. Harrison and E. M. Williams, were installed and two transfers received, Mrs. J. W. Black, Prince Rupert, and Mrs. E. W. Jenner, Victoria. Hospital convener Mrs. A. Moon reported 230 hospital visits in January, when cigarettes and candies were distributed. Other reports were given by Mrs. W. J. Roberts, treasurer; Mrs. J. N. Newbury, fruit baskets, and Mrs. W. C. Trace, ways and means. Hospital visitors for February are Mesdames A. R. Thomas, J. W. Black, A. E. Macdonald and A. K. Harrison, Veterans' Hospital; and Mrs. B. Ripley and Mrs. E. Belton, Jubilee Hospital, and Mrs. A. Moon, St. Joseph's and Mt. St. Mary's.

Second Mile Club—New officers installed at the regular meeting of the Second Mile Club, held at the home of Mrs. G. Finlay, were: President, Mrs. Finlay; vice-president, Mrs. A. Morson; secretary, Mrs. L. Longstaff, and treasurer, Mrs. F. Middleton. Conveners are Mrs. F. Worthy, program; Mrs. O. Stout, sick and visiting, and Mrs. A. Coleman, social. Guest speaker was Rev. G. R. Easter, and his subject, "What I Would Wish for 1949." Refreshments were served by the hostess. Next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Worthy, Grant Street.

Hemlines Shorter

LONDON (CP)—Canadian women can stop worrying about their hemlines. Skirts at London and Paris spring fashion shows are, if anything, a bit shorter than last year's.

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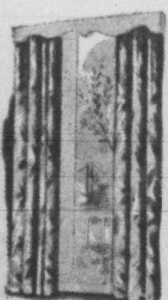
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To start the series, I am giving you today's interesting hand, played by Mrs. Flasher herself. When West opened the nine of hearts and the dummy went down, it looked as if Mrs. Flasher (South) would have to lose a spade, a heart, and possibly two clubs, depending upon the location of the ace.

The lead of the nine of hearts indicated that West did not hold the queen or jack, so Mrs. Flasher played low from dummy and won the trick in her own hand with the king. Now she led the king of spades. East won this trick with the ace and returned the queen of hearts, which Mrs. Flasher won with the ace. She then took two more rounds of spades, picking up the opponents' trumps, and cashed out the three diamonds.

She did not want to have to guess where the ace of clubs was, and she knew where the jack of hearts was. So at this point she led the four of hearts, played the ten from dummy, and East won with the jack.

Now East was helpless. He had no hearts or spades. If he returned a diamond, it would give Mrs. Flasher a ruff and a discard. She would be able to

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Boris Karloff Says He's Not Turning Down Any Roles Now

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — The ghost of Frankenstein's monster still hovers over Boris Karloff.

The noted actor is back playing a boogymen, this time with Abbott and Costello in "A. and C. Meet the Killers." "But I think they'll probably scare me more than I will them," he remarked.

No matter where Karloff's acting career takes him, he always seems to return to the spine-tinglers. He has tried Broadway plays. One lasted five performances. Another folded last month after six tries.

It's ironic that his only Broadway success was in "Arsenic and Old Lace," in which he played a madman with a haunting resemblance to the movie actor, Boris Karloff.

Karloff used to turn down horror roles, too; but he told me he has a new philosophy.

TAKING EVERY ROLE
"I have refused many roles in the past two years because I didn't think they were good enough," he said. "I think now that was a mistake. From now on I shall take everything that comes along. Out of all that, something ought to turn out to be outstanding."

Karloff, who began his acting career with a troupe at Kamloops, B.C., hasn't played Frankenstein's monster in 15 years, but the shade of the satchel-footed dimwit still follows him around. He still gets fan mail about it.

ODEON THEATRE

Sonja Henle, who rules as perpetual Queen of the Ice, introduces a new leading man and skating star, Michael Kirby, to the screen in her latest film, "The Countess of Monte Cristo." The lavish Universal-International musical comedy is now playing at the Odeon Theatre.

For more than a dozen years, the blonde skating actress has been a living symbol of winter playtime, and has done more than any other person to popularize the rink sport.

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DOMINION THEATRE

Columbia's "Walk a Crooked Mile," starring Louis Hayward and Dennis O'Keefe, is now at the Dominion Theatre.

The supporting cast of this Edward Small production is headed by Louis Albritton and Carl Esmond.

The story, reportedly told with on-the-spot, heart-in-mouth realism, concerns the teaming up of the FBI and Scotland Yard in tracking down an international spy ring prying into America's top secrets.

FANTASY FOOTNOTES

Things I never expect to see. . . Gary Cooper and Jimmy Stewart in a hot argument. . . Peter Lawford cast as a gangster. . . Alice Faye doing another picture (I wish she'd surprise me). . . Jack Benny lunching at the Brown Derby with NBC bigwigs. . . Bob Hope caught without a quip. . . George Raft retired (for long, anyway). . . Bette Davis and Joan Crawford co-starred in the same picture.

Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS — Henry Fonda in "The Grapes of Wrath."

CAPITOL — "Fighter Squadron," starring Edmond O'Brien.

DOMINION — "Walk a Crooked Mile," starring Louis Hayward and Dennis O'Keefe.

FOX — "Green Dolphin Street," starring Lana Turner.

OAK BAY — "The Return of Monte Cristo," with Louis Hayward and Barbara Britton.

ODEON — "The Saxon Charm," starring Robert Montgomery.

PLAZA — "All Baba Goes to Town," starring Eddie Cantor.

ROYAL — On the stage, Victoria Symphony Society presents the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra, Jacques Singer, conductor.

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Gains Outweighed By Losses

NEW YORK (AP)—Losses outweighed gains in the stock market. Declines were mostly fractional and a handful of issues tacked on small gains.

Some marketmen took the day off entirely to take advantage of Tuesday's recess in observance of Washington's birthday.

Losers most of the time included Santa Fe, Southern Railway, Union Pacific, Pacific Western Oil, Texas Co., Twentieth Century-Fox, Allied Chemical, Philip Morris, International Paper, Chrysler, General Motors, U.S. Steel and Bethlehem Steel.

Dow Jones closing averages: 30 Industrials—174.19, off .34 20 rails—48.67, off .32 15 utilities—34.75, up .20 65 stocks—62.96, off .10

Total sales, 560,000. (By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

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Dividends on these common shares have been paid regularly for the past 20 years. Profits for 1948 equalled 50¢ a share. The Company's net working capital with that of its wholly owned subsidiaries exceeded \$65,000,000 at the end of 1948.

While the search for oil and natural gas is always a hazardous undertaking, particularly in new fields, it is felt that Royalite's established strong financial position, production and revenues from its Turner Valley operations offsets this aspect to a very marked degree. Accordingly we make this stock available to those who wish to participate in the development of one of Canada's great natural resources.

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Dragged Downwards In Dull Trading

MONTREAL (CP)—Papers, metals and oils dragged selected industrials steadily downward near the final hour on the Montreal Stock Exchange and Curb Market. Trading was drab.

In the spotlight was Canada Steamships preferred up 2½ at 38½, although quietly traded. Mines were fairly active and tended to firm slightly.

Montreal closing averages: 20 Industrials—122.30, off 0.60 10 utilities—71.12, off 0.22 30 combined—105.30, off 0.50 15 golds—64.91, off 0.13 10 papers—309.09, off 1.19 Total sales, 167,100.

(By James Richardson & Sons Ltd.)

Can. Invest. Fund	Bid	Asked
Can. Bank of Comm.	29	29 1/2
Dominion Bank	29	29 1/2
Bank of Montreal	29	29 1/2
Bank of Nova Scotia	29	29 1/2
Bank of Toronto	29	29 1/2
Bank of Victoria	29	29 1/2
Bank of Western Canada	29	29 1/2
Bank of New Zealand	29	29 1/2
Bank of Australia	29	29 1/2
Bank of India	29	29 1/2
Bank of China	29	29 1/2
Bank of Japan	29	29 1/2
Bank of Persia	29	29 1/2
Bank of Siam	29	29 1/2
Bank of Ceylon	29	29 1/2
Bank of Malaya	29	29 1/2
Bank of Hong Kong	29	29 1/2
Bank of Shanghai	29	29 1/2
Bank of Hankow	29	29 1/2
Bank of Tientsin	29	29 1/2
Bank of Peking	29	29 1/2
Bank of Nanking	29	29 1/2
Bank of Soochow	29	29 1/2
Bank of Hangzhou	29	29 1/2
Bank of Ningbo	29	29 1/2
Bank of Shaoxing	29	29 1/2
Bank of Wenzhou	29	29 1/2
Bank of Jiaxing	29	29 1/2
Bank of Huzhou	29	29 1/2
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Bank of Quzhou	29	29 1/2
Bank of Zhoushan	29	29 1/2
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Bank of Taizhou	29	29 1/2
Bank of Quzhou	29	29 1/2
Bank of Zhoushan	29	29 1/2

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Mining Featured In Dull Session

TORONTO (CP)—A handful of mining stocks featured an otherwise dull session on the Toronto Stock Exchange. Waite Amulet traded actively for a new high in early dealings but slipped slightly as the session progressed. Wiltsey-Coghlan, New Jason and Thompson-Lundmark also attracted action for small changes.

Industrials mixed gains and losses about equally in dull action. A few papers weakened and Federal Grain preferred was down to a new low in a weaker agricultural list. Banks were easier while steels, foods and constructions moved irregularly. Bell Telephone was active in utilities.

Toronto closing averages: 20 Industrials—171.01, off .37 20 golds—65.55, off .08 10 base metals—100.71, off .73 15 western oils—51.37, off .91 Total sales, 819,000.

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INDUSTRIALS	Bid	Asked
Aluminum Ltd.	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Pacific	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian National	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Railway	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Steel	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Paper	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Lumber	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Coal	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Oil	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Gas	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Electric	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Telephone	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Insurance	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Banking	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Real Estate	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Shipping	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Transport	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Communication	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Entertainment	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Education	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Health	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Social	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Cultural	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Religious	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Political	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Economic	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Environmental	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Technological	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Scientific	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Historical	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Literary	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Artistic	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Musical	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Dramatic	114 1/2	115 1/2
Canadian Cinematic	114 1/2	115 1/2
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Values Drop Sharply On Vancouver Market

VANCOUVER (CP)—Values dropped sharply on the Vancouver Exchange.

Foot Hills Oil fell .20 to 2.85; Anglo-Canadian lost .10 to 4.40; Atlantic dropped .04 to .76; Central Pacific at 1.18 was down .02. Hargal was fractionally higher at 17½.

Pioneer gold fell .05 to 3.25 and Island Mountain held at 1.20. Base metals were weaker.

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

OILS	Bid	Asked
Anglo-Canadian	4.40	4.50
Atlantic	0.76	0.80
Central Pacific	1.18	1.20
Foot Hills	2.85	3.00
Hargal	17 1/2	18 1/2
Island Mountain	1.20	1.25
Pioneer	3.25	3.30
Rocky Mount	1.10	1.15
Sherrill	1.10	1.15
Sherrill Gordon	1.10	1.15
Sigma	1.10	1.15
Sigma Gold	1.10	1.15
Sigma Silver	1.10	1.15
Sigma Copper	1.10	1.15
Sigma Lead	1.10	1.15
Sigma Zinc	1.10	1.15
Sigma Nickel	1.10	1.15
Sigma Tin	1.10	1.15
Sigma Iron	1.10	1.15
Sigma Steel	1.10	1.15
Sigma Aluminum	1.10	1.15
Sigma Copper	1.10	1.15
Sigma Lead	1.10	1.15
Sigma Zinc	1.10	1.15
Sigma Nickel	1.10	1.15
Sigma Tin	1.10	1.15
Sigma Iron	1.10	1.15
Sigma Steel	1.10	1.15
Sigma Aluminum	1.10	1.15

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Along the Waterfront

Dallas Road Pilot Station May Have Radar Installed

The B.C. Pilotage Authority is often accomplished by the comparatively slow method of exchanging toots on whistles.

With radar facilities, the dispatcher at the Pilotage Authority building can advise the pilot boat and the larger vessel by radio telephone of their relative positions and can talk them together with a minimum of delay.

If radar is installed here, the pilotage headquarters might have to be enlarged, though the Vancouver spokesman said today this would not necessarily be so.

It is reported that the aerial for a radar set on the waterfront would have to be fairly high to overcome interference from electric wires on the breakwater.

One suggestion was that the radar aerial, or even the station itself, might be moved to Clover Point where better reception could possibly be achieved.

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Vandals Endanger Sailors' Lives

Thoughtless vandals are endangering the lives of mariners around the waters of Victoria.

T. E. Morrison, Department of Transport agent here, said today that a person or persons Saturday threw rocks through windows of the lighthouse tower on the end of the breakwater so that snow froze up the fog horn apparatus.

When the snowfall became thick enough to make it necessary for a man on duty at the B.C. Pilotage Authority office to throw a switch turning on the fog alarm, it was discovered that something was wrong.

The equipment was repaired the same afternoon, but in the meantime, vessels passing through the narrow entrance to the harbor in heavy snowfall had no sonic signal to guide them.

Last Tuesday G. W. Davy, gas buoy inspector for the Department of Transport here, reported he attended the light on Darcy Island, off the Saanich Peninsula south of Sidney Island, which had been reported not burning.

Mr. Davy found the light gone off the unwatched light's battery box and a rock weighing 20 and 30 pounds inside. Three of the light battery jars in the box had been broken by the rock.

Mr. Morrison said today it was hard to understand the mentality of persons who deliberately, and with a apparent reason, damage essential aids to navigation, especially at the time of year when there is so much bad weather.

He asks anyone seeing such vandalism to report it to the nearest police office or the Department of Transport office.

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This means the new twin-screw vessel, which has a speed of 23 knots, will arrive on this coast in good time for the heavy summer tourist traffic.

The Princess Patricia, the Marguerite's sister ship, will follow shortly after, and may be here early in the summer.

The Princess Kathleen will be put on the Alaska service starting June 15.

The Princess Marguerite has a smoking-room and ballroom on the boat deck, an observation lounge and coffee-room on the promenade deck and a luxurious social hall and dining saloon on the upper deck. She has accommodation for 2,000 day passengers.

She is almost 369 feet long with a 56-foot beam. Her twin screws are driven by turbo-electric engines.

A drilling barge is expected here from Nanaimo within a few days to drill and blast about 4,300 cubic yards of rock 200 feet out from the Sidney Roofing wharf to deepen that area to 10 feet.

Following that operation, a bucket dredge will be used to pick up pieces of rock too large for the suction dredge to handle and the rock to be blasted off the roofing company's wharf.

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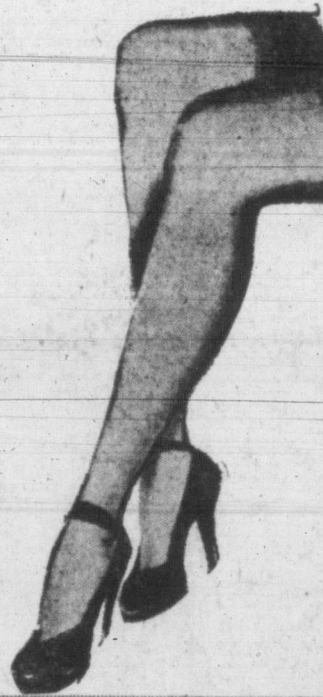


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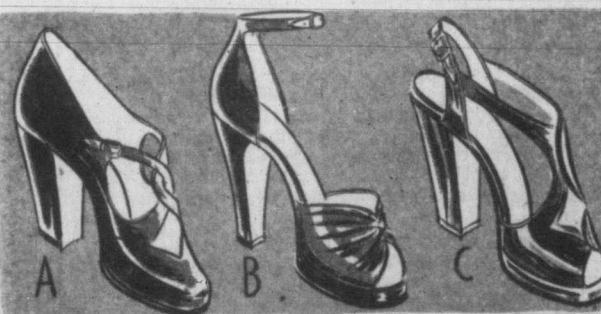
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Three-Time City Cage Champions

Manager Rom Knott's Brentwood Aces recently established a senior basketball record for city league play by winning the men's B championship for the third successive season. On Saturday night the Aces advanced into the lower island final against Duncan by defeating McNutt's. Last year the local squad was knocked out of the B.C. playoffs by Alberni by the narrow margin of one point in a two-game series. Back row, left to right: Knott, Ronnie Benn, Kelly Slater, Bill Benn, Willie Turner; front row, George Cruickshanks, Harold Yardley, Jim Turner, Brian Sluggitt.

Roger Wickson, Susie Morrow New Canadian Figure Skating Champs

OTTAWA (CP)—Suzanne Morrow, 18-year-old ice artist from Toronto, today reigned as queen of the Dominion's figure skaters, succeeding senior singles champion Barbara Ann Scott who turned professional after dominating the Canadian scene since 1944.

Victory for Susie, clinched Saturday night before a rink-coated crowd of 900 persons at the Minto Club, gave Ontario skaters nine of the 10 titles at stake in the two-day Canadian championships.

The lone "outsider" victory was rapped up by Roger Wickson, 21-year-old dark-horse entry from Vancouver who took the men's senior title.

The tournament, thrown wide open when Barbara Ann and Wally Diestelmeyer of Kitchener, Ont., 1948 women's and men's champions, turned professional, developed into one of the most

keenly-battled races in years. Fifteen skaters from various parts of Canada—11 in the women's and four in the men's divisions—came here to match their skill in the premier events.

And they were close—and confusing—all the way, particularly in the women's division.

It was touch and go when the brilliantly costumed girls went through their free-style paces. At conclusion of their four-minute turns, a battery of clerks tried to unravel the highly-complicated scoring system while rinkside experts came up with a variety of winners—most of them wrong.

MATTHEWS THIRD

The final reckoning showed Patsy Earl, 20-year-old blonde skater from Toronto, in the runner-up spot and Jeanne Matthews, vivacious 17-year-old Vancouver entrant and a pre-tournament favorite, in third place.

Placings by the five-man panel of judges gave Susie 11 points—three firsts and two fourths—against 10 by Patsy, who received one first, three seconds and one third. And here's a tale that would confuse a Confucius.

"If a competitor has a majority of first-place markings from judges, she is the automatic winner," Norman V. S. Gregory of Montreal, president of the Canadian Figure Skating Association, explained in an interview. "Miss Morrow received first from three of the five and this definitely places her in front. There is no question about it."

Susie, who will compete in the North American championships at Philadelphia March 4-5, came from behind to gain the title. In second place behind the Vancouver girl at conclusion of the compulsory figures, she put on a dazzling display of interpretive skating to gain the edge.

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New champions were crowned in 12 of the 15 events. Of 10 individual champions seeking to defend their titles, only three were successful.

In the mile Slykhuis grabbed the lead with six of the 11 laps remaining and scored by 25 yards over his closest challenger.

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Toronto Wins Two But Loses Three Men

Lynn Suffers Possible Skull Fracture In Wild Game In Chicago

Rough play in the National Hockey League blazed again Sunday night and sent Toronto's Vic Lynn to hospital with a badly-gashed head and a possible skull fracture.

Lynn, 24-year-old forward from Saskatoon, Sask., was hit over the head with the blade of Red Hamill's stick in a penalty-studded game that saw Toronto take advantage of Chicago Black Hawks sentences to win, 4 to 3.

The victory lifted Toronto to within one point of second place. Leafs whipped Boston 5 to 2 Saturday night.

Lynn and Hamill mixed along the boards in the second period Sunday night and after big Red's blow, Lynn dropped on his face and was taken to hospital.

MAY BE SUSPENDED

Hamill drew a match penalty from Referee Bill Chadwick and league president Clarence Campbell, who was in the Chicago audience, indicated the Hawk forward may be fined and suspended for one game.

In the third period, Bep Guidolin of the Black Hawks drew three penalties—a minor for slashing and two misconducts for arguing with Chadwick.

Toronto in the second period scored three vital goals while Chicago was short-handed. Chicago had taken a 2 to 0 lead earlier on goals by Gus Bodnar in the first and Roy Conacher in the second. Then, in less than four minutes of the second, Max

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
Detroit	28	16	5	158	120	61
Boston	23	20	5	140	139	51
Toronto	19	19	12	125	130	50
Montreal	20	22	7	126	118	47
Chicago	19	25	5	147	172	43
N.-York	16	23	10	111	128	42

Bentley, Jim Thomson and Howie Meeker blasted in counters. In the finale, Ted Kennedy scored for Toronto and Ralph Natrass for Chicago.

In addition to Lynn's injury, Toronto had the bad fortune to lose Meeker, who suffered a possible foot bone fracture on the play in which he scored. Meeker returned to action only last week

after missing 20 games with a fractured shoulder.

EZINICKI OUT

These mishaps came after Toronto's wild Bill Ezinicki received a knee injury in Saturday's victory over Boston that will keep him on the sidelines for two weeks.

Elsewhere in the N.H.L. during the week-end, the last-place New York Rangers rose from a 3 to 1 drubbing Saturday by the fourth-place Montreal Canadiens to whip the Habs 3 to 2 Sunday and moved within a point of fifth-place Chicago.

Alex Kaleta, Edgar Laprade and Dunc Fisher counted Sunday night for the Rangers while Elmer Lach and Joe Carveth scored for Montreal.

In Saturday night's game, the red-hot Kenny Mosdell scored twice in the third period. Montreal while Roger Leger got the third Canuck goal. Clint Albright fired in the lone New York marker.

Joe Kulukay, Ted Kennedy and Max Bentley scored in that order for Toronto before Boston could reply Saturday night. After Milt Schmidt made it 3 to 1 for the Bruins, Bentley racked up his second. Paul Ronty came back for Boston but Harry Watson banged in the Leafs' fifth marker with less than two minutes to go.

The scheduled Detroit-Boston game Sunday night was postponed because of an ice show in the Detroit arena and will be played tonight.

Czechs Regain World Title; Canada Second

STOCKHOLM (CP)—Czechoslovakia recaptured the world amateur hockey championship yesterday as Canada, the defending titlist, finished second.

The Czechs took home the world crown they won in 1947 and relinquished to Canada a year ago in the Olympics by defeating Sweden 3 to 0 before 11,000 fans, including Swedish Crown Prince Gustav Adolf.

Johnny Palmer Wins Houston Open Golf

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP)—Johnny Palmer of Badin, N.C., used a series of steady iron shots to offset spotty putting and win the \$16,000 Houston Open golf tournament here Sunday with a 71-67-27.

He edged Cary Middlecoff, the golfing dentist from Memphis, by one stroke. Jim Turnesa, Briar Cliff, N.Y., was third with 274.

First place for Palmer was good for \$2,000. Middlecoff pocketed \$1,400 and Turnesa \$1,000.

Stukus Appears Likely Choice As Grid Coach

EDMONTON (CP)—An announcement is expected this week on appointment of a coach for the Edmonton club in the Western Interprovincial Rugby Football Conference.

Annis Stukus, Toronto sports writer and former standout backfielder, left Edmonton by plane Sunday for home after conferring with the Edmonton club's executive.

Neither side had a definite announcement to make. Both said they have "a few things to iron out" before a choice is disclosed.

However, unofficial indications are that Stukus now is the choice of the Edmonton club over the other leading candidate, Ray Nolting of the University of Cincinnati.

The Edmonton club, returning to the western conference after an eight-year absence, is anxious to complete naming of a coach so progress can be made toward lining up an adequate team in time for the regular schedule opening late next August.

The coach will have the job of obtaining players for a club starting almost from scratch.

Meanwhile, the Edmonton club appointed Joe Schoeter as business manager. Schoeter, one of the leaders in the campaign to get the Alberta capital into the western conference again, will resign as club secretary to clear the way for acceptance of the manager's post.

Oak Bay Rugby Teams Stop Army Fifteens

The weatherman took another crack at outdoor sports Saturday but he didn't stop the English rugby adherents from carrying out their scheduled contests.

Playing at Windsor Park in a swirling snowstorm and a bitterly cold wind, Oak Bay Wanderers second and third division teams scored victories over Fifth Regiment and Canadian Scottish, respectively.

Wanderers defeated Fifth Regiment, 6 to 0, with Colin Blyth and Bob Hutchison scoring unconverted tries in the second half.

In the third division game Oak Bay took a 3 to 0 lead in the first minute of play and went on to blank the Scottish Cadets, 9 to 0. Johnny Johnson counted two tries for the winners after Higgs had scored the opening try following a line-out.

Hockey Summaries

CANADIENS-RANGERS
First Period—1, Montreal, Leger (Dusault, Reay) 3:35. Penalties: Plager, Bouchard, Chamberlain, Albright.
Second Period—Scoring: None.
Penalties: Mosdell, Mikko, 13, Harvey.
Third Period—2, Montreal, Mosdell (Richard, Chamberlain), 45; 3, Rangers, Albright (Lund, O'Connor), 12:30; 4, Montreal, Mosdell, 17:50. Penalties: Leger, 14:50. Penalties: None.
TORONTO-BOSTON
First Period—1, Toronto, Klukay (Tomlinson, 14:50). Penalties: Bouchard, 14:50.
Second Period—2, Toronto, Kennedy (Metz, Thomson), 4:11; 3, Toronto, Bentley (Gardner, Thomson), 11:10; 4, Boston, Schmidt (Dumart), 7:46; 5, Toronto, Bentley (Thompson, Klukay), 11:55; 6, Boston, Rosy (Schmidt, Egan), 13:35. Penalties: Finnman, Egan (1), Meeker (3), 17:50; 2, Toronto, Watson (Meeker), 18:25. Penalties: None.
SUNDAY
CHICAGO-TORONTO
First Period—1, Chicago, Bodnar (J. Conacher), 15:35. Penalties: McGinn, J. Conacher, 15:35.
Second Period—2, Chicago, R. Conacher (J. Conacher, Bodnar), 4:55; 3, Toronto, Mc Bentley (Gardner), 14:10; 4, Toronto, Thomson (Kennedy), 14:55; 5, Toronto, Meeker (Watson, Gardner), 14:55. Penalties: Janda, Morrison, Lynn, Hamill (match penalty), Brown.
Third Period—1, Toronto, Kennedy (Metz, Thomson), 13:27; 2, Chicago, Valtras (R. Conacher), 14:50. Penalties: Dickins, Guidolin (3), 14:50. Penalties: None.
RANGERS-CANADIENS
First Period—1, Montreal, Lach, 7:35. Penalties: Fisher, Stanowski, Leger, Leswick, 14:50.
Second Period—2, New York, Fisher (Laprade, Trainer), 14:50. Penalties: Harvey (3), Ruppelle, Mosdell, Laprade, Leswick.
Third Period—5, New York, Kaleta (Sherr, O'Connor), 4:30; 6, New York, Laprade (Leswick, 5:20), 5:20; Montreal, Carey (Richard, Pilon), 17:04. Penalties: Rayner.

Roy Conacher Back In Scoring Lead

Roy Conacher bounced out in front of Chicago teammate Doug Bentley of the National Hockey League scoring race last night, earning a goal and an assist while Bentley went pointless for the first time in many games.

Conacher now heads the list with 39 points to Bentley's 35. Leaders follow:
R. Conacher, Chicago — 39
D. Bentley, Chicago — 35
A. Bell, Detroit — 29
J. Conacher, Chicago — 26
Ray, Montreal — 25
Bodnar, Chicago — 21
Mosienko, Chicago — 17

U.B.C. Swim Team Defeats Washington

VANCOUVER (CP)—The University of British Columbia swim team had too much for the University of Washington's watermen last night at Vancouver, splashing out victories in all but two events.

The host team also scored heavily in seconds and thirds in the eight-event exhibition intercollegiate meet with Washington coming first only in the 100-yard breast stroke and the 150-yard medley relay event.

Dick Newton won in 1:17.1 in the only individual victory scored by the visitors with the medley victory won on a time of 1:50.

Wahlberg-Hayamka Win To Please Mat Crowd

Braving the cold weather 1,500 died in the wool wrestling fans were sent home happy Saturday night, at the Armories, when their favorites Suga Hayamaka and Whitey Wahlberg won the tag team match from Tony Ross and Buck Davidson.

It was a rematch from the previous week when Hayamaka and Wahlberg took the decision on a foul.

Although the second bout lacked some of the color of the first engagement the fans got their money's worth. As a matter of fact several of them got a lot more. Number of those occupying ringside seats were subjected to a continual peppering of paper pellets and even nails as the younger element in the balcony took exception several times to the tactics of Ross and his partner.

USE TWO REFEREES

With two referees working the tag team affair the wrestlers were a little cramped in their efforts to get away with mayhem. However, on a couple of occasions all four grapplers were in the ring at the same time along with the two officials and a merry mix-up resulted, espe-

Y.M.C.A.-K.V.'s Open Cage Playoffs Tonight

It will be the Y.M.C.A. against K.V.'s in the first game of the men's senior A basketball playoffs at the High School gym tonight starting at 9.

Doug Peden's defending champions moved into the final round Saturday night by turning back Pro Patina, 44 to 36, in the deciding game of a best-of-three semi-final. K.V.'s had previously qualified for the five-game final by eliminating Eagles in a three-game series that also went the limit.

Anderson Wins City Hoop-Shot Title

Converting 19 out of 25 free shots—Len Anderson won the city hoop-shoot title at the High School gym Saturday night.

Pete Kirchner finished second with 18 for 25, while Gordon Carey was third with 17.

Anderson will represent the Victoria area in the F.N.V. finals at Seattle Saturday.

Hungarian Star Captures World Skating Honors

OSLO, Norway (AP)—Hungary's Kornel Pajor closed with a rush Sunday to capture the world speed skating championship.

The slender Hungarian, an outstanding star in distance races, took second in the 1,500-metre event yesterday and then clinched the title by winning the 10,000-metre grind, second and final race of the day and the fourth event of the two-day program.

John Werket, mighty mite from Minneapolis, who finished fifth in the final standing, annexed the 1,500-metre title and gained eighth in the 10,000. Ken Henry, crack middle-distance ace from Chicago who won the 500 Saturday, ended in fourth place. He was third in the 1,500 and seventh in the 10,000.

A crowd of 30,000 including Norway's 76-year-old King Haakon, saw the 25-year-old Hungarian engineering student skate to victory.

Pajor finished eighth in the 500, first in the 5,000, second in the 1,500 and first in the 10,000. This grand all-around performance gave him a winning low score total of 211.073 points.

Kees Broeckman of Holland, and Odd Lundberg, the defending titleholder from Norway, finished second and third, respectively, although neither won any of the four races. Broeckman totaled 211.818 points and Lundberg 212.960.

Don McRae May Get Tryout With Leafs

TORONTO (CP)—Don McRae, high-scoring member of the Sydney Millionaires in the Cape Breton Senior Hockey League, may be brought to Toronto for a tryout with the Toronto Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League.

Conn Smythe, Leaf general manager, said his team needed reinforcements after yesterday's injuries to Vic Lynn and Howie Meeker in a game at Chicago. The Toronto team has a week-long rest, playing their next game Saturday, and Smythe said he would try to have McRae in Toronto for that game.

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Royals End Seattle's Hockey Playoff Hopes

Portland turned the tables on Tacoma Sunday night to retain its second place position in the northern division of the Pacific Coast Hockey League.

The Eagles, playing on their home ice, defeated Tacoma 7 to 2 in a rough-and-tumble contest. Saturday night, Tacoma won 3 to 1 to edge into the second place tie.

It was the first victory in five games for Portland.

At San Diego, the Skyhawks coasted to a 7 to 2 win over the visiting Vancouver Canucks. It was the Canucks' second defeat—against one win and a tie—in their southern division invasion.

San Diego pulled out of the southern division cellar—ahead of San Francisco—as a result of the win.

In Seattle, the New Westminster Royals knocked the Seattle Ironmen out of a chance for the northern division playoffs with a 5 to 2 win.

The Royals are leading Portland in the northern division by 3½ games.

NORTHERN DIVISION				
	W.	L.	T.	P.
New Westminster	28	21	5	75
Portland	29	27	6	84
Tacoma	29	27	4	82
Vancouver	27	26	6	80
Seattle	23	34	5	81

SOUTHERN DIVISION				
	W.	L.	T.	P.
Oakland	29	27	4	82
Fresno	27	27	6	80
Los Angeles	24	25	3	57
San Diego	26	30	3	55
San Francisco	25	29	4	54

Minor Hockey

Washington 3, Springfield 8.
St. Louis 6, Hershey 3.
Indianapolis 0, Pittsburgh 5.
Providence 5, Philadelphia 2.
Buffalo 2, Cleveland 3.
Kansas City 1, Minneapolis 4.
Fort Worth 5, Houston 2.
St. Paul 7, Omaha 3.
Tulsa 2, Dallas 3.
Pittsburgh 7, St. Louis 0.
Philadelphia 3, Indianapolis 6.
Minneapolis 2, Kansas City 3.



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Stonehouse Equals Record For Victory In Schoolboy Meet

NEW YORK (CP)—Canada's schoolboy runners, led by stocky Don (Stoney) Stonehouse, more than held their own Saturday at the annual A.A.U. high and prep school track and field meet in which 152 Canadian and American schools competed.

Stonehouse, 18-year-old Hamilton sprinter, equalled a meet record by winning the high school 60-yard dash handily in 6.3 seconds before a band of cheering collegians at Madison Square Garden.

Bettering his time as he warmed up with every heat, Stoney, who holds the 300-yard indoor Canadian record, started out with a time of 6.6 in the trial heat. In the semi-finals he increased his pace to 6.5 and then easily outdistanced the finalists to equal the record set in 1945 by William Mathis of Washington.

The other five Canadian competitors—all from Toronto—also gave a good account of themselves. They garnered two thirds, two fourths and a heat winner.

Claim Czech Player Jumps Hockey Squad

STOCKHOLM (AP)—A Swedish newspaper said today one of the members of Czechoslovakia's newly-crowned world ice hockey champions has jumped the team and plans to emigrate to the United States.

The Swedish Daily Dagens Nyheter said Zdenek Marek, a reserve member of the squad, didn't join his teammates when they departed by train for home.

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Proctor Heindol of Oklahoma City goes up to get out of the way after dropping Jackie Graves of Austin, Minn., in a featherweight match in Chicago. Graves got up to obtain an eight-round draw.

Youthful Glisson Pilots Old Rockport To Victory

ARCADIA, Calif. (AP) — Old Rockport, a rank outsider which had won only four minor races in 14 starts, and youthful Gordon Klifford Moores of Lexington, Kentucky, a mere apprentice rider, teamed Saturday to score a resounding upset victory in the \$100,000 Santa Anita Derby.

The race was the richest in the derby's 12-year history, carrying a gross purse of \$141,800 with 14 horses starting. Old Rockport, a 33 to 1 shot, won \$94,700 for Clifford Moores of Lexington, Kentucky.

Running past the heavily-backed Olympia, which as an entry with Ocean Drive went to the post at 3 to 4, Old Rockport won by 1½ lengths over Olympia. The season's largest crowd, 53,000, bet \$74,087 on the race, a drop from the \$739,606 wagered last year.

Third behind Old Rockport and Olympia came Admiral Lea, and fourth in the field of 14 three-year-olds was Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Stone Age.

Old Rockport paid \$68.10, \$17.70 and \$9.30, the second highest return in the race's history.

The time for the 1½ miles was 1:50 1/5, one-fifth of a second shy of the derby record hung up by Byrnesford in 1945.

First race	Polo B. (Hall)	\$44.70 \$19.40 \$8.50
Second race	George Gains (Goffman)	7.10 4.20 3.00
Third race	Mr. Ace (Guerin)	\$12.10 \$5.20 \$2.80
Fourth race	George Gains (Goffman)	4.20 3.00 2.70
Fifth race	Past an Pair (Nickols)	\$63.30 \$26.70 \$11.40
Sixth race	Rialto (Adams)	6.80 4.70 3.30
Seventh race	War Trophy (Kirk)	\$6.30 \$3.60 \$2.80
Eighth race	Trilokite (Gillson)	4.90 3.30 2.60
Ninth race	Old Rockport (Gillson)	\$68.10 \$17.70 \$9.30
Tenth race	Admiral Lea (Arcaro)	3.00 2.80 2.50
Eleventh race	Admiral Lea (Arcaro)	3.00 2.80 2.50
Twelfth race	Admiral Lea (Arcaro)	3.00 2.80 2.50

WINNIPEG HOCKEY
WINNIPEG (CP)—Winnipeg Canadians took a one-game lead in the best-of-five Manitoba Junior Hockey League semifinals here Saturday night by defeating the defending champion Winnipeg Monarchs 8 to 6 before 3,500 fans. Second game of the series will be played tonight.

Sports Round-Up

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.

NEW YORK (AP)—One of those annual signs of spring—just like the first robin—has just come in. It's Cliff Roberts' little green-covered booklet called "Records of the Masters' Tournament," and with it a note from Cliff saying that Bobby Jones can't play this year, but will be on hand to help direct the tournament.

To most North Americans, golf and Bobby Jones mean virtually the same thing. And Bobby and his brain child, the Augusta national course, go along together. It's a course designed to give a "fair" test of golf to expert and dub alike—no tricky traps and only about 30 bunkers—and they all like it.

The course record is 64, by Lloyd Mangrum, but in a dozen masters' tournaments since 1934 the world's best golfers haven't been able to beat 79 for 72 holes. That wouldn't win \$22.50 in an ordinary winter tournament. Best of all, it's one of the few courses which retain the custom of naming each hole—Magnolia, Carolina, Cherry, Dogwood, Red Bud and the like. If that doesn't sound like spring, we don't know what does.

MONDAY MATINEE

If Harry Mendel keeps on letting Joe Louis pick fight winners, the heavyweight champion can retire and go into the hat business. Harry admits he lost a hat to Joe on these recent selections: Tony Zale over Rocky Graziano, Marcel Cerdan over Zale, Kid Gavilan over Ike Williams and Willie Pep over Sandy Saddler. Joe Haynes, the pitcher the Washington Senators acquired during the winter, is son-in-law of president Clark Griffith and brother-in-law of vice-president Cal Griffith, outfielder Sherry Robertson and of the Red Sox Joe Cronin. How did he get the job? By winning nine games for the Chicago White Sox.

Quebec Ski Stars Capture Pair Of Canadian Titles

FORT WILLIAM (CP)—Quebec skiers dominated the two-day Canadian amateur ski championships here at the week-end, winning both the senior jumping and cross-country titles. Winnipeg and Duluth, Minn., entries cleaned up the other events.

The meet produced a new set of champions.

Lucien Laferte of Three Rivers, Que., copped the senior jumping title with near-perfect style jumps of 175 and 170 feet. Another Quebecer, Laurent Bernier of Valcartier, was his closest rival. Laferte replaced Noel Paul of Princeton, B.C., as Canadian titleholder.

Tom Dennie of Quebec City raced over a gruelling 11½-mile course to best a field of 21 crack competitors in a race against time to become Canada's cross-country ski champion. The 26-year-old restaurant worker started in ninth position and crossed the finish line fourth with an elapsed time of 1 hour, 11 minutes, 36.4 seconds.

Finishing second and third behind Dennie were Alex Alain and the winner's brother, Gerald.

Bill Irwin of Winnipeg won the senior combined championship by a comfortable margin, beating out Peter Fosselle of Duluth and Jack Roccoft of Vancouver.

Canadians Beat U.S. In Squash Tourney

QUEBEC (CP)—Canada scored her 10th victory in the Lapham Cup matches for the international squash racquets championship Saturday, defeating the United States 7 to 3, on the Quebec Winter Club courts.

Ontario stars—Harold Peterson, Bill Noyes and Ernie Howard of Toronto and Hamilton's Frank Gibson—accounted for four matches. Bernard Fortier and Tim Dunn of Quebec and sandy-haired Al Lee of Montreal completed the chore.

The Greek Orthodox Church allows no musical instrument to be used during services.

Oysters have a sense of smell which they use to test the purity of sea water.

TIME OUT!

By Jeff Keate



"Relax, Mac—she's always been a notoriously slow starter!"

Mammoth \$3,000,000 Cincinnati Garden To Be Thrown Open

CINCINNATI (AP)—Ohio's biggest indoor sports arena—the Cincinnati Garden—will hang out the "open for business" sign this week.

And what an opening it will be. Within just one week almost 50,000 customers will pay their way in to see hockey, basketball and boxing.

The \$3,000,000 garden will be opened officially Tuesday night with a hockey game between Montreal Canadiens of the National League and a group of players who already have been signed to represent Cincinnati next season in the American League. A full house of around 12,000 is expected for that game.

The next night, a basketball game between Butler and the University of Cincinnati is expected to draw another 10,000 fans.

Thursday night it will be more basketball with the University of Kentucky meeting Xavier and again they're figuring an 10,000 cash customers.

MAJOR RING ATTRACTION

On Monday, Feb. 29, will be the 15-round heavyweight boxing bout between Ezzard Charles of Cincinnati and Joey Martin of Cleveland. Sam Becker, promoter of the fight, already has offered Joe Louis \$400,000 to meet the winner next summer for the heavyweight championship.

Advance indications are that a full house of 15,000 will be a cinch for the Charles-Maxim affair.

The garden seats 12,000 for hockey and basketball and 15,000 for boxing and wrestling.

Veteran Stack Wins Speed Skating Crown

WINNIPEG (CP)—American entries fared well in the Manitoba Speed Skating Association's annual two-day outdoor meet which ended Saturday, taking eight championships and sharing another. Manitoba won the remaining three titles and shared one.

Veteran Frank Stack of Winnipeg, copped the senior men's open speed skating championship by defeating an imposing array of U.S. challengers. The 43-year-old holder of the Canadian title defeated his closest rival, T. Nelson of Minneapolis, by 10 points.

E. Rayne of Winnipeg and D. Wang of Minneapolis tied for the senior women's open title.

O.R.F.U. Will Carry On With Three Clubs

TORONTO (CP)—The Ontario Rugby Football Union, Canada's oldest football league and one of the three groups challenging annually for the Dominion championship, Saturday officially recorded its determination to continue with its senior series no matter whether Hamilton Tigers go ahead with their proposed withdrawal.

At the union's 67th annual meeting here Saturday, representatives of the senior teams, taking cognizance of reports of negotiations between the Tigers and Hamilton Wildcats of the Big Four Union on a possible amalgamation, emphasized they would operate with three clubs if the two Hamilton teams get together to operate in the Big Four.

Jack Langs, president of the Tigers, told the meeting that the negotiations still are proceeding but it was possible nothing would come of them and the Tigers would remain in the O.R.F.U. to comprise a four-team group with Sarnia Imperials, Toronto Balmy Beach and Windsor Rockets.

Langs said if the Tigers decide to remain in the union, which they joined last season after playing in the Big Four for years, they would have a team comparable to the one they fielded last season.

SEEK U.S. PLAYER

He disclosed that the Tigers have an outstanding and well-known United States player in mind as a player-replacement

for last season's playing-coach, Frank Filchock, who signed last week to play with Alouettes in the Big Four next season.

Criticism of the Canadian Rugby Union and its method of ticket distribution for last year's Dominion final game was voiced by some delegates. It was decided that the union, at the annual meeting of the C.R.U. here Saturday should make strong representation to see that "confusion and unfair distribution" that arose last year should not occur again.

TIDES

Feb.	h.m.	h.m.	h.m.	h.m.
21	2:36	9:10	4:47	2:30
22	2:36	9:10	4:47	2:30
23	2:36	9:10	4:47	2:30
24	2:36	9:10	4:47	2:30

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Considerable Damage To Highway Section

Works Minister E. C. Carson said this afternoon that the spring thaw had done considerable damage to the old section of the Island Highway between Duncan and Nanaimo, but new sections of the highway had suffered no damage.

Engineers had feared the spring thaw would do some damage to B.C. roads and they had thought that the newer roads were safe. Their belief had proved correct.

The minister said that it would be necessary to repair the Duncan-Nanaimo section because the new highway, now under construction, will not be completed for many months. He assured that the repairs would be effected just as quickly as possible.

Side roads are also believed to have suffered considerably through the thawing of roadbeds.

A meeting to discuss the organization of a Dale Carnegie Club International for alumni of the Dale Carnegie Courses will be held tonight at Terry's at 6. Reservations may be made by telephoning Jean Downey, E 6657.

Soothing Music In Operating Theatre

When Shaughnessy Hospital's new ultra-modern operating theatre is officially opened at Vancouver Wednesday afternoon at 3, the most intriguing feature, from the layman's point of view, will be the musical accompaniment. Each operating room has a loud speaker connected to a centrally-controlled record player which renders appropriately soothing selections.

This allegedly gives doctors and nurses inspiration, and provides patients under local anaesthetics with excellent diversional therapy—if they happen to like music.

To Close At 6

All wickets at the Victoria post office will close at 6 in the evening, effective March 1, according to announcement today of J. B. Sinclair, postmaster.

At the present time, registration, parcel post and general delivery wickets close at 5:30. The money order wicket will continue to close at 1 on Saturday afternoons, as usual.

Federal Election Early Fall Fisheries Minister Predicts

A federal election in the fall is seen by Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew, provided the House of Commons is not obstructed in dealing with many domestic and foreign problems which should be answered by the end of June.

"If we can finish our work by the end of June, we possibly will go to the country early in the fall to give a new government time to prepare for a 1950 session," the minister said in an interview in Victoria today.

Mr. Mayhew is paying a hurried call here to check personally on reports of critical unemployment throughout the province. He is leaving for Vancouver tonight.

He said it was his personal opinion that the election would be in the early fall.

"I really don't know anything more about it than you do," Mr. Mayhew said.

"There is a great deal of work to be done, though," he continued, "and if we can get along without any lengthy delays, we should be finished by the end of June."

It would depend, he added, on whether the House of Commons had any more votes such as that on the Newfoundland question, which he described as a "fiasco."

On his own position with regard to the election, the fisheries minister said he could not make any statement yet.

"Let's leave that until later," he smiled when asked if he would be standing for re-election in view of his elevation to a cabinet post.

City Snow-Covered During Week-End

Victoria today was recovering from another white week-end.

Snow started falling shortly after 7 Saturday morning and did not stop until supper time. When it did stop, the fall of two inches was recorded at the Gonzales meteorological station.

It seemed deeper than that in the outlying areas, though. A fairly strong wind pushed it into drifts.

The temperature Saturday night dropped to 25 degrees, making roads and sidewalks dangerous. Police were called to attend various minor accidents as a result.

With warmer temperatures Sunday, the snow turned to slush. Rain overnight and early this morning got rid of most of this.

The question of flooding was again in the minds of many people but the amount of snow and rain was not considered enough to cause anything like the flood conditions of last week.

Roads suffered during the week-end weather, however. Below-freezing temperatures and additional precipitation helped to break up more roads in the outlying areas.

The executive of the B.C. Drama Association announces that the B.C. Regional of the Dominion Drama Festival will be held in the York Theatre, home of the Vancouver Little Theatre, on March 3, 4 and 5. The adjudicator will be Robert Speaight of London, Eng.

Ottawa Favorable To Extension Of P.G.E.

Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew said in Victoria today that while the federal government has not made any promises of aid to B.C. for development of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, it was reasonable to expect considerable assistance would be given.

He said the national government always has been concerned over the P.G.E., and that Premier Byron Johnson was given a "favorable reception" by the minister of finance recently when an interest-free loan for the railway was requested.

Mr. Mayhew thought Ottawa would construct an assembly wharf at Squamish, the southern terminus of the railway. Engineers had not been sent out to survey the site yet, but he did not expect any delay when the extension program got under way.

The P.G.E. extended to Prince George would no doubt make a feeder line for the C.N.R., Mr. Mayhew said.

If a pulp mill was established it would make the provincial railway particularly attractive. Extension of the line would help develop the interior and would bring much business to other parts of the province.

It was rumored before he became Minister of Fisheries that he would not run for office again.

CONFERS WITH PREMIER

He conferred this morning with Premier Byron Johnson, Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer, and Fisheries Minister L. H. Eyres. He was scheduled to meet Mayor Percy George later in the day, as well as C. A. Mudge, director of the National Employment Service here.

Mr. Mayhew said his talk with the provincial Minister of Fisheries was to do with the protection of the fishing industry on this coast in the development of

water power in the province. Care had to be taken in hydro development projects that spawning grounds were not damaged.

Mr. Mayhew said that the Federal government this year would continue the tuna patrols commenced last year, and that the surveys would continue to be directed to other types of fishing in addition to tuna possibilities.

Investigations were continuing also of the possibility of establishing lobster farms on this coast.

"We think there is a possibility that lobster growing here can be a success," he said, adding that it was not true that all the eastern lobsters planted in a cove near Nanaimo as an experiment had disappeared.

Biologists in his department were conducting tests to determine whether lobsters from different sections of the Maritimes would "make themselves at home" in certain B.C. waters.

He said a draft bill to provide Victoria with a harbor commission was being studied in Ottawa at the present time. The bill was forwarded by the harbor committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

READY FOR SPEED HIGHWAY

Mr. Mayhew said the federal government was willing to share with the provincial government on a 50-50 basis the cost of constructing an express highway from the city to Patricia Bay airport.

"We are ready to proceed," he said. "It is now a matter of when the province can go ahead with plans."

He believed a survey for the speed highway had been completed but he did not know if the route had been selected.

On the unemployment situation, Mr. Mayhew thought construction of federal housing projects in Victoria would provide the best means for immediate relief.

It would serve a double purpose too, with the housing shortage still acute.

Large-scale government construction projects in the blueprint stage might also be used to fill the slack of seasonal unemployment, he said.

A special "fast finding" crew of the Department of Labor was coming here shortly to make a survey of the unemployment situation, Mr. Mayhew said. His efforts were his own undertaking.

Mr. Mayhew said efforts were being continued to locate overseas markets for B.C. salmon, and it was hoped Great Britain would open her doors to more of B.C.'s canned goods.

Lithium Chloride Salt Substitutes Recovered In City

Swift action by druggists has prevented the possibility of any Victoria person being poisoned through using a lithium chloride salt substitute.

Health Minister Paul Martin banned the lithium chloride products Saturday after they had been blamed for four deaths in Chicago.

As soon as the order was known here, local drug stores handling "Westal" began checking their sales records.

"Westal," one of four salt substitutes ordered off the market, went on sale here a week ago. Records showed only two bottles were sold.

In both cases the purchasers were contacted and told to return the product before they had a chance to use it.

"Westal," a liquid, was selling at \$1 a bottle. Bottles contained two and one-quarter ounces.

Other salt substitutes banned in Canada are "Saltit," "Foodsal" and "Saltisalt." These products have never been sold in Victoria, according to G. K. Beeston, government inspector of foods and drugs.

William R. Clark, president of the B.C. Pharmaceutical Association, reported today all drug stores in the province are being notified to suspend sales on lithium chloride salt substitutes to protect the public.

Snowball Barrage Smashes 9 Windows

Three young hoodlums Sunday night used windows of the Economy Steam Laundry plant at 607 John Street, as snowball targets. Nine of the 10x14-inch panes were smashed, police reported. A woman, who saw the damage being done, reported it to the police.

J. E. Jones, manager, told of repeated occurrences of this nature over the last few years. On one occasion, he said, 22 of the panes had to be replaced.

New Store Fronts

A "face lifting" job is planned for the Metropolis Hotel at 712 Yates Street, it was learned today from the city building inspector, who issued a \$8,900 permit for the work.

Store fronts of the hotel building will undergo complete modernization. Contractor will be Commonwealth Construction Co.

1 Smash-And-Grab Robbery, 4 Entries During Week-End

A smash-and-grab jewelry robbery and several other entries took place in the city during the week-end, city police reported today.

The thief who smashed a 13x17-inch pane of glass in the front window of Frank Jeffries' jewelry store, 1028 Fort Street, at 8:10 Sunday night, got away with two rings worth a total of \$85 which were displayed there.

Mr. Jeffries was in the kitchen at the rear of the premises when the window was broken. He went outside to see if he could see anyone, but found no one in the vicinity.

At 1:30 this morning, E. C. Conarroe, 844 Cormorant Street, reported the burglar alarm ringing at William Bray and Williams, contractors, 853 Cormorant Street.

Constables James Strong and Arthur Deeks attended and found the front door wide open and the alarm ringing. They discovered no apparent signs of entry. D. T. Williams, 3060 Harriet Road, was called to the scene. He said there appeared to be nothing missing.

Constable Leslie Mottershead reported he checked the premises at 11:15 last night and that everything was in order at that time.

William Allan of the Veterans Junk, Tyee Road, told police a half ton of scrap steel was stolen from his yards between Saturday night and Sunday morning. A vehicle would be required for this, it was pointed out.

HUNGRY BURGLAR

The burglar who got into the home of Mrs. Catharine Kirby, 1411 Haultain Street, in the early hours of Sunday morning while the house occupants were asleep, was apparently hungry. He took away one dozen eggs and a pound of butter. There were used

Play Festival In May

For the Victoria one-act Play Festival, which will be the first week of May, entries are being received from all parts of the island. The entries are being restricted to groups other than those from elementary or high schools. Plays should be no shorter than 20 minutes, or longer than 45 minutes. Further details will be announced soon, but in the meantime, groups interested are asked to contact Miss Anne Adamson, secretary, Victoria Drama Festival, Community Drama at the Parliament Buildings.

matches on the pantry floor to show he was using these for light. Mrs. Kirby said she heard a noise in the house at 3. Entry was gained through a back door left unlocked.

Thieves who broke into the Church of Our Lord, Blanshard and Humboldt Streets, sometime Saturday night, got nothing for their efforts. There was evidence they had searched a desk. Entry was gained by breaking windows.

There were several calls from citizens to city police reporting prowlers about their homes during the week-end. Footprints in the snow proved that persons had been seeking to get into at least three homes.



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- 1101—Blond Kisser Och Timotei; For-løvning; Polka — Eddie Jarl's Quartette.
- 1102—Kiska-Schottische; Kysar Valen — Jarl and Frankens (ac-cordion duet).
- 2108—Klam I Polka; Schottische; Bjallerklang—Speimanspolkarn.
- 2157—Skiv Rem Till Mor; Vassen Till Mor—Evan-Old Sandberg.
- 2324—Vassaloppet; Hambo; Kalarne Polka—Skansenpolkarna.
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Miss Dann Shannon, 19, of 2373 Bowker Avenue, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital at 9:08 this morning suffering from bruised knees and complaining of a sore back, sustained when she was knocked down by a car on Douglas Street at View Street. Her condition was reported as good by hospital attendants.
City police reported that the car, proceeding north on Douglas, was driven by Mrs. Isabel D. Bent, 2838 Parkview Drive. Officers said the accident took place as Miss Shannon was walking from the east side of Douglas to the west side in the north pedestrian lane at the intersection.
B.C. Exports Down During Last Year
The value of exports through B.C. custom ports fell off by a slight amount during 1948 from 1947 but imports showed a slight increase.
This was reported today by Trade and Industry Minister L. H. Eyres. He said exports during 1948 totaled \$371,480,456, while in 1947 they totaled \$389,619,801. Imports during 1948, through B.C. custom ports, were valued at \$199,949,221. This compared with \$195,174,683 for 1947.

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Announcements

BIRTHS

POLLANO—To Joe and Thelma Pollano (nee Minto), at St. Joseph's Hospital, on Feb. 20, the gift of a daughter, (Rosina Lynn), 8 lbs. 4 ozs. Both doing well. Thanks to Dr. Vincent Smith.

WITTEN—To Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Witten, R.R. 1, Royal Oak, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Feb. 18, a son.

MARRIAGES

JOHNSTON-HOWELL—Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Howell, 1360 Lang Street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Claire, to Donald Bain Johnson, son of Mrs. Catherine Johnson, 1225 Dallas Road. The ceremony took place on Feb. 19, 1949, at 4 o'clock in First United Church, Rev. M. A. J. Waters officiating.

MOORE-HAMILTON—Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, 1063 Colville Road, announce the marriage of their only daughter, Mary, to Walter Whitman Moore. The ceremony took place on Friday, Feb. 18, 1949, at First Baptist Church, Rev. G. R. Easter officiating.

DEATHS

ANDERSON—On Feb. 19, 1949, at Royal Jubilee Hospital, Michael William Anderson, of 1748 Lee Avenue. Besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Anderson, Thomas David Norman, his grandparents, Mrs. S. Rogers and Mrs. W. Remont, all in Victoria. Private funeral service in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

BLACK—Passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Feb. 19, 1949, Mary Elizabeth, widow of James Black, of 1000 Dunsmuir Street. Mrs. Black was a resident of Victoria for the past 30 years and leaves to mourn her passing her daughter, Mrs. T. Eric Jones (nee Black), of 1021 Kensington Street.

EASTON—Miss Gladys Easton passed away in Victoria on Feb. 20. The late Miss Easton was born in Northumberland, Eng., and married James Easton, who died in 1914. She is survived by her son, James Easton, of 1021 Kensington Street.

HARPER—Passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Feb. 19, 1949, Mrs. Margaret Harper, widow of the late Dr. W. C. Harper, born in 1874. She is survived by her son, Dr. W. C. Harper, of 1021 Kensington Street.

JOHNSON-TIGHE—At Royal Jubilee Hospital on Feb. 19, 1949, Herbert Johnson-Tighe, 1818 Yale Street, born in 1874. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Johnson-Tighe, of 1818 Yale Street.

KING—After a lengthy illness, on Feb. 21, 1949, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Sarah Elizabeth King, aged 76 years, of 128 Medina Street, Victoria. The late Mrs. King was born in Somerset, England, and was married to the late Mr. King of Saratoga, Calif. and Laurence King of Victoria; one daughter, Miss Ada, at home; two granddaughters in Saratoga, Calif. She was preceded by her husband, Mr. King, who was for 37 years organist and choirman in the Royal Church, Victoria.

MACCACHEN—At Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Feb. 19, 1949, Marjorie MacCachen, beloved wife of Alfred MacCachen, born in 1874. She is survived by her husband, Mr. MacCachen, of 1021 Kensington Street.

OLIVER—On Feb. 20, 1949, at the residence, 1111 Delta Street, Cortland Oliver, aged 77 years, born in 1871. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Oliver, of 1111 Delta Street.

PULICANO—Passed away at the residence, on Feb. 19, 1949, Charles Pulicano, born in 1874. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Pulicano, of 1021 Kensington Street.

REES—Passed away at Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Feb. 19, 1949, Mrs. Rees, of 1100 Hilda Street, on Feb. 20. She was born in London, Eng., and has been a resident of Victoria for the past 29 years. She leaves to mourn her passing her husband, Mr. Rees, of 1100 Hilda Street.

TANNER—On Feb. 19, 1949, at Dalhousie, Nova Scotia, Catherine Maria Tanner, aged 82 years, born in 1867. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Tanner, of 1021 Kensington Street.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEATHS

CHAN—On Feb. 17, 1949, at 999 Burrill Avenue, Loon Chan, aged 80 years, of 1714 Commercial Street, born in Shingai, Canton, China, and a resident of Victoria for the past 32 years. Prayers will be offered in the chapel of the Thompson Funeral Home on Monday evening at 7.30, and funeral services will be held in St. Andrew's Cathedral on Tuesday morning at 9 a.m. Interment in the Chinese Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. H. E. Baker and son wish to express their gratitude to the many friends of their loving wife and mother for kind expressions of sympathy, letters of condolence and floral tributes. Special thanks to Dr. W. A. Tremblay and the Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, officiating minister.

Mrs. K. Schmeiss and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Herburger of Seattle, Wash., wish to express their sincere gratitude for the beautiful cards and messages of sympathy received during their recent bereavement of a loving father, grandfather and great-grandfather. They wish to thank Dr. Lucas, the nurses and attendants at the Royal Jubilee Hospital for their untiring consideration and care.

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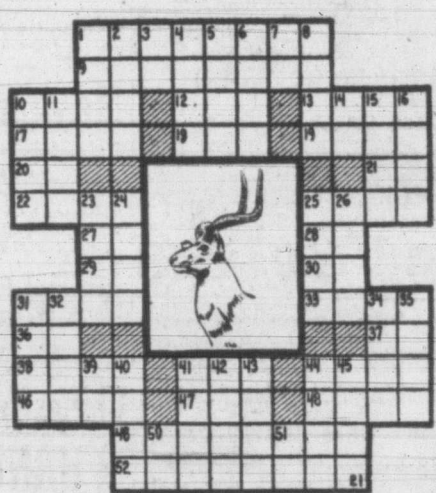


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 - Humiliated
 - Desecrated
 - Bird
 - Excerpt
 - Enthusiastic
 - Irish
 - Pace
 - Smelling organ
 - Near
 - Pronoun
 - Genuine
 - Age
 - Mixed type
 - Greek letter
 - Thus
 - Two (prefix)
 - Portent
 - Crack
 - Seydian
 - sun god
 - Depart
 - War god
 - Mimic
 - Divine bird
 - Incline
 - Famous bird
 - Revel
 - Intention
 - Posses
- VERTICAL**
- State
 - Number
 - Preposition
 - Italian island
 - Praise
 - German king
 - Hebrew actor
 - Paradise
 - Have on
 - Ceremony
 - Behold
 - It is found in
 - Delies
 - Church recess
 - Wild beast
 - Polish
 - Demolish
 - Spoken
 - Female horse
 - Small horse
 - Babylonian deity
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 - Talisman
 - Hard
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 - Mislay
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Throng Hears Pope Denounce Sentencing Of Cardinal

VATICAN CITY (AP)—Pope Pius Sunday denounced the imprisonment of Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty in Communist-ruled Hungary as religious "persecution." He called the Hungarian government "totalitarian and anti-religious."

A quarter of a million persons, gathered in front of St. Peter's Basilica in a mass meeting to express their indignation at the cardinal's trial, roared approval of the Pontiff's words—his fifth public statement of condemnation on the case of Cardinal Mindszenty.

They heard him hint that the Hungarian government, by some secret means, had wrung from Cardinal Mindszenty a confession of crimes of which the Primate was innocent.

There was clear warning in his speech to the people of Communist-dominated countries to shun any agreements between church and state which might limit the activity of the Roman Catholic Church.

That the church should con-

fine its activities "within the four walls of the temple," he declared, would be "indecorous servility." He quoted the words of Jesus Christ: "Go ye into the crossroads (Mat. 22, 9) and teach the people (Matt. 28, 19)."

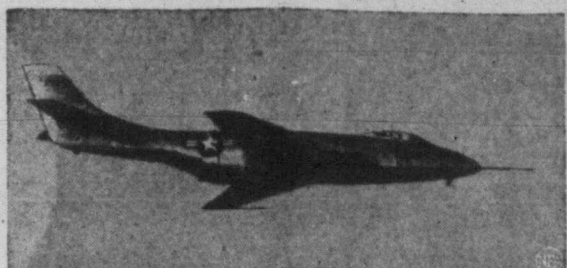
The crowd cheered the Pontiff as he stepped to the microphone.

"Papa, papa, papa—Viva il Papa! Viva! Viva!" they cried. An announcer failed to still the cheers so the Pope could speak. The Pontiff himself finally cut through with a firm-voiced call. A hush fell at his opening word, "Romani (Romans)."

Pervent cheers followed virtually his every sentence. Deep-throated shouts of "no" replied to his demands whether they wanted a church weak and "silent when it should speak."

The frail Pontiff, who will be 73 March 2, spoke in a deep firm voice.

He said the Pope could not remain silent when the church's



NEEDLE-NOSE GOES FOR A SPIN—The U.S. air force's newest jet fighter, the McDonnell XF-88, has its first test flight at Muroc, Calif., air force base. The plane is designed as a penetration fighter, to operate deep within enemy lines. It is distinguished by the needle-like extension from its nose and its swept-back wings and tail.

affiliates were torn from her "with violence and cunning," when parents could not educate their children as they liked, when states interfered in ecclesiastical organization, and priests were punished for not violating the secrecy of the confessional.

"The sentence imposed—amidst the unanimous condemnation of the civilized world—on the banks of the Danube on an eminent cardinal of the Holy Roman Catholic Church has stirred on the banks of the Tiber a cry of indignation worthy of the city," he said.

Wider Sales Field If Stores Seek More Men Purchasers

By FORBES RHUDE
Canadian Press Business Editor

The forgotten person in the clothing stores of the country is the so-called head of the house—"the old man," "Pa," "Dad," or whatever you wish to call him.

Storekeepers ponder how they may cater to "the little woman." She spends about 85 per cent of the family money.

But hardly anyone thinks it necessary to cater to "Dad," certainly not to encourage him to come in and look around. They just want him to come in, pay his money, and walk out with a suit, shirt, necktie, whether or not he likes today's selection.

Perhaps storekeepers may be overlooking a big bet here, because the person they are treating this way is the one who, in

some capacity or other, is the greatest shopper of all.

Thousands of men haven't had a woman near them in their clothes buying since they came out of knee pants, and they think most women don't know the difference between a well-cut man's suit and a well sewed-up potato sack.

The popular idea is that "Pa" doesn't like to shop; that in the first place he doesn't want a new hat, but that if goaded into buying one he'll walk in, put one on his head, pay his money and walk out. Often he does want a hat, or a suit, but unless he needs it desperately he won't walk in because he knows that if he does he'll come out with a hat or suit, whether he likes it or not.

Probably half the men in the

country are prospects for doubling their wardrobes if they could be made to feel free and easy in looking around.

C.N.R. Deficit May Be Above \$31,000,000

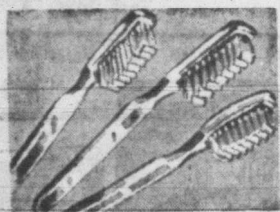
OTTAWA (CP)—Unofficial forecasts of a \$31,000,000 deficit for the Canadian National Railways for 1948 are said to be low.

The predictions were based on net railway operating income for the year, submitted to the Board of Transport Commissioners, without returns from the nationally-owned system's other operations. The rail net was \$5,000,000.

On the basis of the C.N.R.'s usual non-rail income and its \$43,000,000-a-year debt charges, the deficit should work out to a little over \$31,000,000.

EATON'S SPOTLIGHT

Sale of Toiletries



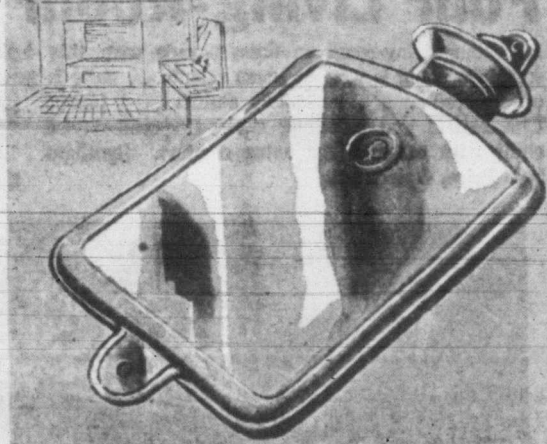
Tooth Brushes
Assorted colored plastic backs with nylon bristles.
Spotlight Sale Price 3 for 39c



Shampoo
Helen Curtis Creme Shampoo, contains lanolin.
Spotlight Sale Price, 49c



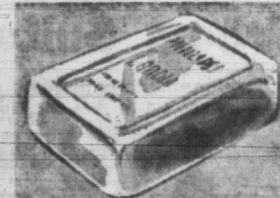
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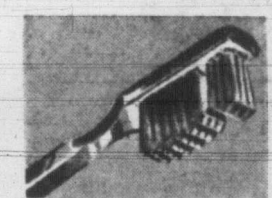
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A good choice for women who like firm all-over support. Made with a strong front clasp and three front sections for added control. Has deep bust of broadcloth, built-up shoulders. Well boned to give extra body support. Rayon striped coutil in peach only. Sizes 34 to 44. **Spotlight Sale Price, each 4 69**

New Lower Prices Revlon Lipsticks and Breck Scalp Treatments

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Formerly 2.00, Now **1.50**
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Do you like to knit?
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Then You'll Want

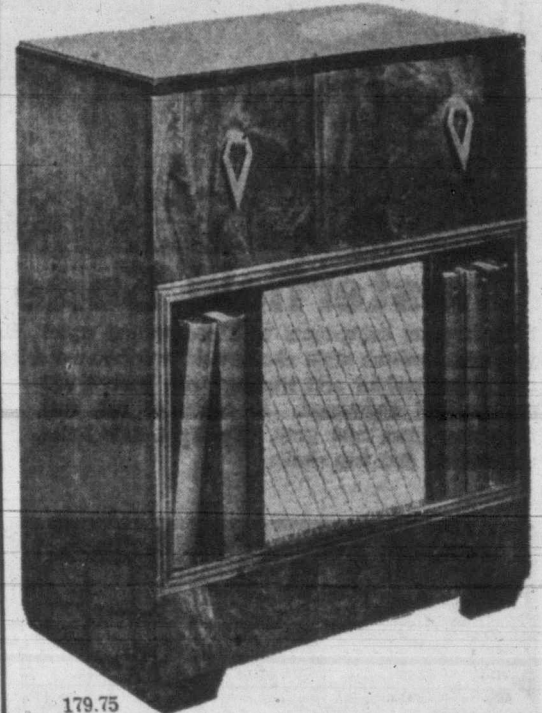
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For Breakfast,
Luncheon or Tea

EATON'S Dining Room

Your enjoyment of appetizing food, skillfully prepared and daintily served, will be enhanced by the pleasant, restful surroundings. Let us serve you tomorrow.

EATON'S—THIRD FLOOR



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- 6-tube superheterodyne circuit.
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- New improved automatic record changer — plays 10 and 12-inch records.
- G-E light-weight pickup with permanent Sapphire tip.
- Beautiful modern cabinets in 3 finishes: Walnut, Mahogany, and Autumn Leaf Mahogany.

Walnut Cabinet Mahogany Cabinet Autumn Leaf

179⁷⁵ 184⁷⁵ 189⁷⁵

EATON'S—RADIOS, VIEW STREET

Sharp's Kreemy Toffee

A treat for the entire family! Individually wrapped pieces of rich, creamy toffee. **SPECIAL, per lb. 45c**

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Just drive up, the attendant will take your car, store it and deliver it to you again when your shopping is done.

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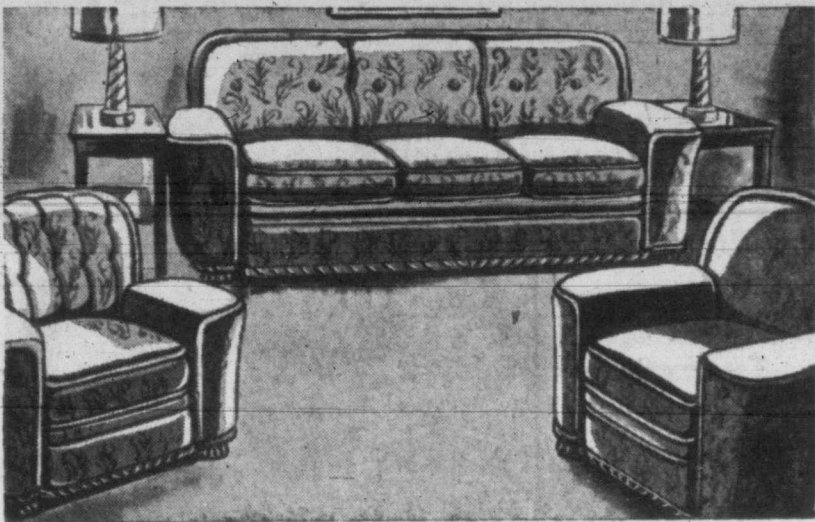
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EATON'S SPOTLIGHT

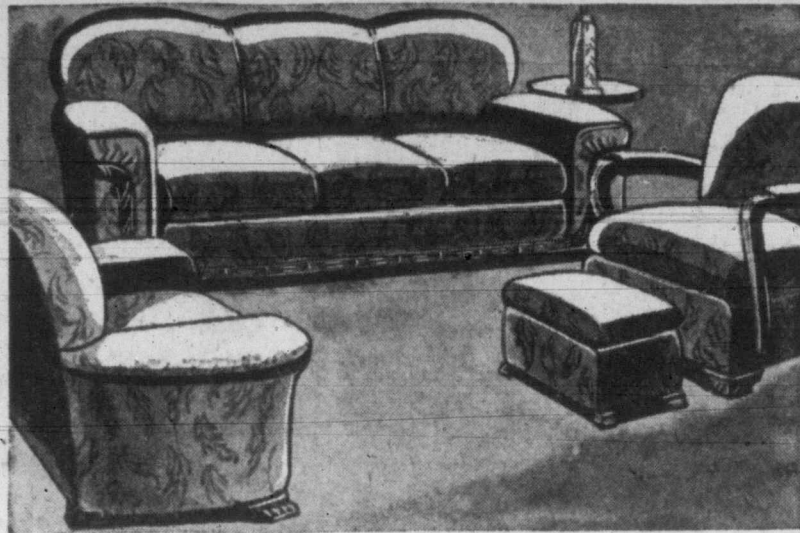
Sale of Furniture and Bedding



Chesterfield Suite

Pamper your living-room with charm and style! EATON'S Spotlight Sale brings you this semi-tub style chesterfield and two matching chairs expertly upholstered in rich frieze mohair and trimmed with rubbed walnut finished showwood. In colors of red, rust, turquoise, fawn and grey. **Spotlight Sale Price, chesterfield and two chairs**

219⁰⁰



Four Living-Room Pieces

Put your living-room on dress parade with this 4-piece, newly-styled living-room suite! Covering is wine or green velour... suite is generously proportioned, plumply upholstered... reversible cushions. 4 pieces: Chesterfield and matching chair, Cogswell-styled chair with ottoman for extra comfort. **Spotlight Sale Price, 4-piece suite**

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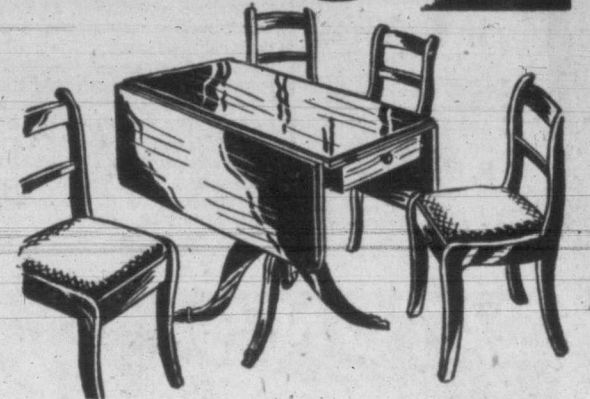
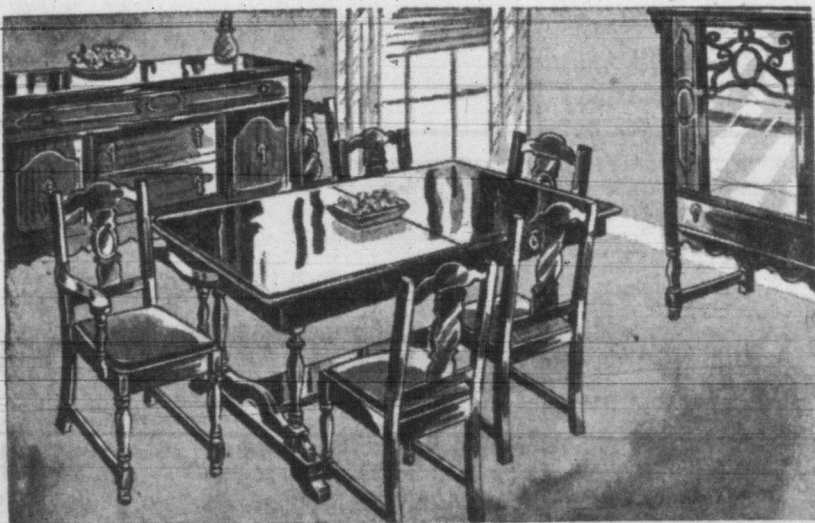


Table and 4 Chairs

Toast for 2 or dinner for 6... this drop-leaf table with separate extension leaf will do the trick! Table has Duncan Phyfe-styled base and top of veneered walnut. 4 dinette chairs are hardwood in matching walnut finish. **Spotlight Sale Price, table and 4 chairs**

99⁰⁰



Walnut Veneered Dining Suite

A 9-piece suite on Tudor lines. Table has double pedestal base, jackknife leaf which opens to 40x72-inch size. Buffet Credenza styled, china cabinet has fretwork glass door. 5 side chairs, 1 armchair. **Spotlight Sale Price**

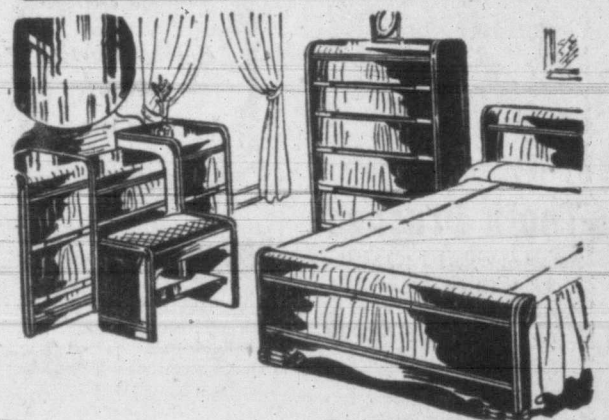
199⁰⁰



Five-Piece Dinette Suite

New color, new design for your kitchen with this 5-piece suite in gleaming chromium-plate. Table has rounded corners with heat-resisting plastic top 30x41 inches... removable leaf increases size to 53 inches when desired. Straight leg chairs upholstered in leatherette. Table tops in colors of black, green, grey and red. Chairs in black, green, red and blue. **Spotlight Sale Price, 5 pieces**

69⁰⁰



4-Piece Bedroom Suite

Smooth, rubbed walnut finish... 48-in. diameter plate-glass mirror... drop-centre vanity... can't you just see this suite in your bedroom! All drawers have centre guides for easy running. **Spotlight Sale Price, 4-piece suite**

179⁰⁰

Occasional Tables

Looking for a place to display those flowers, place your paper, set a lamp or book?... then you're looking for one of these matching tables.

End Table, 13x23x22 inches high. **Spotlight Sale Price, each** **849**

Coffee Table, 16x26x18 inches high. **Spotlight Sale Price, each** **999**

Lamp Table, 14x20x25 1/2 inches high. **Spotlight Sale Price, each** **899**

Cocktail Table, 16x32x18 ins. high. **Spotlight Sale Price, each** **1249**

Boudoir Chair

Takes up little space but gives big comfort! In popular slipper chair design with spring seat and fluted back. Colorful cretonne upholstery. **Spotlight Sale Price, each**

14⁹⁹

2-Door Wardrobe

Roomy, convenient, hardwood construction... 17 1/2 x 40 x 63 inches. **Spotlight Sale Price, each**

25⁹⁰

Similar design with one door—measures 22 ins. wide. **Spotlight Price, ea. 25.90**

Telephone Set

Practical and inexpensive and necessary for that 'phone! Built of hardwood in walnut finish. Table is 15x18x29 inches high... with matching stool. **Spotlight Sale Price, table and stool**

995

Bridge Table Set

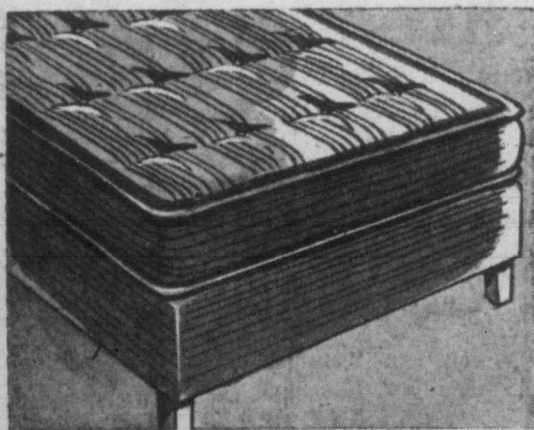
Table and 4 chairs in choice of walnut and tan or black and red. Table is steel frame with reinforced plywood top. Matching chairs fold for storage. **Spotlight Sale Price, 5 pieces**

19⁹⁸

EATON'S

FURNITURE

SECOND FLOOR



30-inch, 39-inch, 48-inch and 54-inch size

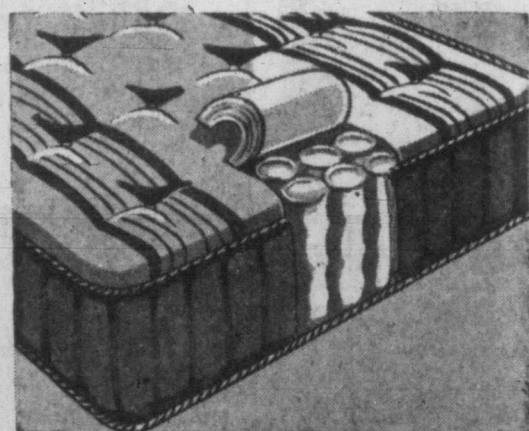
Continental Divan

Here's bedding relief for brief living quarters! 30 inches wide continental divan... spring-filled mattress and box spring on legs... inner spring units buried in soft, sanitary cotton... matching ticking. **Spotlight Sale Price, complete**

39⁹⁹

Similar divan in sizes of 54-in., 48-in., 39-inch. **Spotlight Sale Price, each**

49⁹⁹

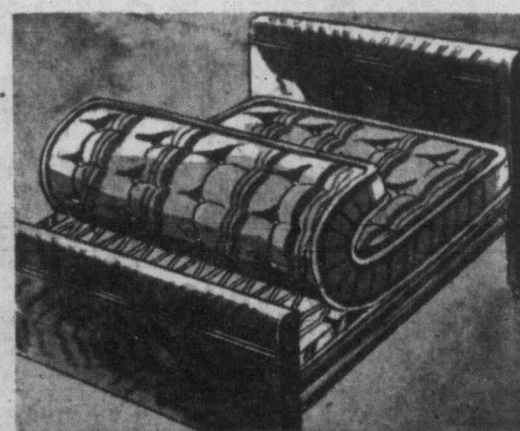


individually pocketed springs

Innerspring Mattress

Individually pocketed springs... layer upon layer of white fluffy cotton... durable ticking with taped edges... built for comfort! Built for wear! 54-inch size mattress contains 720 separate, comfort-giving coils, each in its own pocket! Standard sizes. **Spotlight Sale Price, each**

59⁹⁹



cable spring, bed, spring mattress

3-Piece Bed Unit

No-need to go shopping for 3 different bedding items... here they are in a complete bed unit... in any one of the 3 standard sizes. Full panel steel bed in walnut finish, high riser cable springs and comfortable spring-filled mattress. **Spotlight Sale Price, 3 pieces**

49⁹⁹

EATON'S

BEDDING

SECOND FLOOR

Chicken Feather 17 in. x 25 in. Pillows

Top off your night's sleep with soft, beckoning pillows! Filled with selected, high-grade chicken feathers, sanitary and odorless. **Spotlight Sale Price, pair**

449

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EATON'S Budget Plan Terms

Furniture, Housefurnishings and Certain Other Articles

10% Down

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- Balance in 18 Monthly Payments on Purchases of 75.00 and over.
- When you buy on the EATON Budget Plan you pay the EATON low cash price, plus a reasonable charge for the accommodation.

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